

The Beiseker Times

Vol. 5, No. 6

EDMONTON, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, FEB. 6, 1953

Library Representatives Heard

CROSSFIELD — At a special meeting held in the school to hear the reports from the 23 organizations in connection with the appeal for a library, Mr. Dahl, speaking on behalf of the library board, stated that he considered that enough financial help had already been received to warrant the start for a new library. At this meeting Mr. Tommie Bland was made President and Mrs. Eva Banta, Sec.-Treas. A number of committees were set up to start the ball rolling. Acting as Chairman of the Finance Committee Mr. Frank Laut was appointed; for Publicity, Principal Mumby; for Book Appeal, representatives of each organization; Library Location, Mrs. E. McNaughton and Mr. Kiernan; Supplies, T. Bland and Mrs. Eva Banta; Building, H. McCaskill. There are three other committees to be set up, viz., Book Review, Book Selection and Willing Helpers. The last named committee would be dispensed with as soon as its duties are completed.

Child Gets Arm In Power Wringer

CROSSFIELD — Young Kennie Edgar had the misfortune of sustaining a severe injury to his arm, when he got it caught in a power clothes wringer on Friday last. He was taken to Calgary hospital where it seems a skin graft will be necessary. It is hoped that the wound will not be too long in healing, and that he will soon be back at school with his little pals again.

Rosebud News Briefs

The Rosebud Seed Cleaning Plant moved into operation on Wednesday, January 28, when four hundred bushels of Registered Thatcher wheat was cleaned to No. 1 Government seed. The grain was owned by Mr. John Holman of Wayne. The plant is now in full-time operation and the staff, under the management of Mr. S. Larsen, is working 24 hours a day in an effort to keep up with the demand.

A grand opening is being planned in the near future. In the meantime, visitors are welcome to come in and look the plant over.

Allan Comstock and Sonny McMillan who were patients in the Municipal Hospital, returned home during the week. They are both planning on being back to school Monday morning.

Mr. A. Strandberg of Camrose spent the week-end at his home in Rosebud.

Miss Rosie Patterson of Hanna spent a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson.

Mr. John Jansen of Calgary spent the week-end visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vierboom.

Miss Colleen Watt, who has completed her nurse's training at the University Hospital in Edmonton, is spending a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watt, before accepting a position on the staff of the University Hospital.

Mrs. C. Strancos passed through Rosebud on Sunday on her way to Olds where she will reside in future.

Beiseker News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Schmalz motored to Edmonton to visit their son, Mattie.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Scales, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckle, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fletcher were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darce Olsen last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Diebert were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wald.

Mrs. Chas. Weisgerber was a Beiseker visitor for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Simmonds and children motored to Calgary on Sunday to welcome home from their three month trip to England. Mr. and Mrs. E. Little and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Little were former residents of Beiseker.

Local H.S. Brier Rink Wins District Playdowns

CROSSFIELD — The Crossfield High School has one more occasion to be justly proud, as the Crossfield rink, skipped by Lloyd Faas, assisted by George Mumby, Neil Bannister and Murray Fleming, were successful in winning the "Brier" District Playdowns which were held Saturday in Olds. Principal Mumby, who was unable to be with the boys, due to a business trip to Calgary, was overjoyed with his students who have for a number of years been able to represent Crossfield High School in the association playdowns. New students are used when older ones leave. Mr. Mumby, a keen curler himself, is a promoter of good sportsmanship as well as good curling.

In the four Eaton Trophy Districts for lady curlers (which is comparable to the men's "Brier") Didsbury, Carstairs, Crossfield and Airdrie, under convensership of Mrs. Bert Lilley, will have representative rinks skipped by the following respective skips: Gilrie, Moench, Wood and Fletcher. All the club playdowns having been completed, the district playdowns were arranged by a meeting at the rink on Friday, January 23, with convener Lilley presiding and J. Stevens recording minutes. All clubs but Didsbury were present. The playdowns for the district, after due consideration had been given to conflicting local 'spels, was set for Airdrie on Monday and Tuesday, February 9 and 10, with no more than three games per rink in a day.

Old-Timers Elect New Slate

CROSSFIELD — At the annual meeting of the Crossfield and District Old Timers held on Saturday last, Mr. C. C. Stafford was made Honorary President; George Jones President; A. D. Stevens, Vice-President; Second Vice-President, Clayton High. It was thought best to leave the various committees in the hands of the President as has been the recent custom. Mrs. B. Lilley was asked to remain as Sec.-Treas. Dewey Casey thanked his executive for valuable assistance and co-operation during the year. Mrs. Lilley moved a vote of thanks to the retiring President on behalf of those present and also thanked the members for their support. Mr. Jones was heartily welcomed as President.

District Governor, Stan Scales, Visits Lions Clubs

BEISEKER — This year as in previous years, the Beiseker, Irricana and Keoma Lions Clubs, amalgamated as it were for one night, on the occasion of the Ladies Night and District Governor's Annual visit.

The program and supper was opened by the toastmaster K. A. Wright, who called on the Rev. Charlie Reeves of Calgary for the invocation, followed by Bert Sharpe with the toast to the Queen. After a very tasty supper, which was enjoyed by 180 Lions, Lionesses and guests from Beiseker, Irricana, Keoma, Calgary, Strathmore, Bowness and Vulcan, Pete Knight gave the Address of Welcome.

Harold Blocks most impressive toast to the Ladies was very ably replied to by Lioness Mrs. Pat Hagel, after which the International Councilor L. L. Schmalz, introduced and called on the Honored Guest Stan Scales of Vulcan for his Address.

After the District Governor's address a fine evening of dancing to the music of Cliff Harvey's Orchestra was enjoyed by all. We also heard Lion Darce really cut a rug, certainly glad to hear Lion Darce isn't too old to cut the mustard.

Rosebud Advances In Curling Playdowns

BEISEKER — The play-offs for the Taylor Pearson and Carson High School Curling Champions took place in Beiseker on Wednesday, Jan. 28. The play-offs were between Rosebud for the Eastern Division and Irricana for the West. One twelve end game was played with Rosebud coming out on top.

Personnel of rinks: Rosebud, Jim McMillan, Don Whittaker, Bob Murray and Jerry Whittaker, Skip, Irricana: Bob Thompson, Richard Bruntzen, Elver Carr and Dick Young, Skip.

Spend Honeymoon In Eastern Canada

CROSSFIELD — A wedding of interest to Crossfielders was solemnized in Knox United Church Thursday afternoon, January 29, when Rev. G. P. Macleod officiated at the marriage of Mrs. Ethel (pioneer of Crossfield) and Charles C. Matthews, both of Calgary.

For her marriage the bride wore an afternoon frock of chamois-toned crepe, styled with matching lace tunic. Her small hat, in champagne shade, was accented with jewelled trim and she carried a nosegay of spring blossoms.

Mrs. Earl Bishop of Regina was the bride's sole attendant, attired in a navy blue ensemble with hat to match. Spring flowers formed her corsage.

The groom was attended by his son, Donald Matthews, and the ushers were F. R. Matthews and Dr. G. W. Hankins, son and son-in-law of the groom.

The groom's niece, Mrs. Gordon James, was soloist during the signing of the register.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home, after which Mr. and Mrs. Matthews left by train on a wedding trip to Eastern Canada. They will reside in Calgary on their return.



CANADIAN DESIGNS ON DISPLAY — This is combined living and dining area in a model Canadian house which was recently erected in Thorncrest Village, Ontario. All the furniture shown is of original Canadian design and is listed in the Canadian Design Index, a record of good design maintained by the National Gallery of Canada. A duplicate of this room is being featured in the opening exhibition of the new "Design Centre" in Ottawa this February. Operated by the National Gallery of Canada in co-operation with the National Industrial Design Committee, this Centre which is immediately adjacent to Confederation Square, is readily accessible to visitors to Ottawa.

Level Land News Briefs

The SDA Dorcas Society were working in the church basement Saturday night. They packed two boxes had a good attendance and good meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Trenchuk were in the Level Land district for the week-end on their return trip from their honeymoon in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Metzger were visiting over the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Huether and friends.

Mr. D. Longmenous of Calgary was visiting with the SDA church during the week-end.

Pastor and Mrs. C. C. Voth of Calgary were with the SDA church over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon and Miss Christa Sell of Calgary were visiting with the SDA church and friends over the week-end.

Larry Lelske was visiting at Lacombe and Canadian Union College.

Mrs. R. Huether returned last week after spending a month in Oregon and Washington.

Mr. John Lelske, reporter of the Level Land district, returned last Thursday after spending a week in Banff.

A number of the Level Land district took in the Ice Cycles show during the week and report a better show than ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Huether and Carol were visiting at Lacombe and visited with Bobby over the week-end. Bobby is a student at Canadian Union College.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kaiser of Red Deer went through the Level Land district over the week-end

on their way to Calgary visiting their parents, also, Amerless Gramms came with the Kaisers to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gramms over the week-end.

Local Rink Advances In McDonald Brier

BEISEKER — The Beiseker McDonald Brier Rink, winners for the West Division played off in Rockyford against the East winners on Wednesday, Jan. 28. Two games were played, one ten and one twelve end games. Beiseker Rink came out on top at both games. Personnel of Beiseker Rink: Stan Olsen, Raymond Schmalz, Fred Miedinger and L. L. Schmalz, Skip.

They now have to journey to the South. Best wishes go with them to keep up the good work and go through to the end.

Kathryn News Briefs

The Kathryn Community Club held their second card party in the hall Saturday evening. A pleasant evening was enjoyed despite the cold weather.

The high school students held a farewell party in the auditorium Friday evening in honor of Mary Randall who left February 2 to commence nurse's training in the Holy Cross hospital.

Mrs. I. Wileman and Mrs. F. Saunders have been under the weather with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Feffel were at home to their friends on January 2 on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson (nee Hildegard Anderson) are rejoicing in the birth of a daughter.

Monarch of the Rockies



Photo Canadian National Railways

Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies, lifts its perpetually snow-capped peak almost 13,000 feet into the British Columbia sky. All trans-continental trains over the Canadian National Railways pass within the proverbial stone's throw of this great mountain whose imperial dignity is made all the more impressive by the tremendous glaciers that flow from the white crown to the green valleys below.

Fired Over Crowd, Gets Year In Jail

OLDS — Gerard William Rohleder, 27, Sundre lumber camp worker, was sentenced to a year in jail when he appeared before Magistrate F. J. Briegel in police court charged with carrying an offensive weapon to the danger of the public.

Rohleder was arrested by RCMP after firing a shot from a .22 rifle over the heads of a gathering of district residents in

front of the Phelan hotel about 11 o'clock Saturday night. He was drinking a glass of milk in a restaurant when arrested. The gun was found under the mattress in his room. A large number of western magazines were also found in the room.

The history of gold mining in Canada dates from 1654 when Louis XIV of France granted a concession to Nicholas Denys to mine gold in Nova Scotia.

WARN MOTORISTS ABOUT PASSING SCHOOL BUSES

From "Voice of Motordom"

Warning to motorists of the provincial law in regard to passing school buses, which have stopped on the highway has been given by Alberta officials. Maurice Jones, inspector at Calgary for the Highway Traffic Board, in a letter to J. G. McQueen, provincial secretary of the A.M.A. says:

Maurice Jones, inspector at Calgary for the Highway Traffic Board, in a letter to J. G. McQueen, provincial secretary of the A.M.A., says:

Further to our conversation in regard to complaints we have received regarding passenger cars passing school buses while same are loading and unloading passengers:

I would like to draw your attention to Section 56(a), 1 and 2, of The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act, which reads, as follows:

1. When a conveyance which bears either the sign, "school bus," or "school van," has stopped to receive or discharge passengers, no driver of a vehicle shall overtake or pass such conveyance until all persons who are about to enter or leave the same are safely clear of the path of the vehicle.

2. When a conveyance which bears the sign, "school bus," or

"school van," has stopped to receive or discharge passengers, no driver of a vehicle approaching from the opposite direction shall pass such conveyance at a rate of speed greater than 25 miles per hour.

Would appreciate it very much if this information could be passed along to the members of your organization as this is a very serious offence. For the safety of all our school children, all drivers should adhere to the above section.

21 o'Clock

HASTINGS, Mich. — Residents figured that the clock on the County Courthouse was so glad to be fixed and running again after a long idleness that it was just celebrating when it rebonged 21 bongs for 1 o'clock and an hour later struck eight times.

Hard-Boiled About His Eggs

Azzam Assw.d, 28, is a hard-boiled Arab who likes his soft-boiled eggs just right. When Pat Brongman, counterman in a New Brunswick, N. J. hash joint, didn't make them that way, Azzam burned, refused to pay the bill, heaved one garbage can through the restaurant's glass door and a second one through a window.

It took three cops to haul Azzam before Magistrate Joseph J. Takacs. Now he's serving 90

Rabid Coyote Near Capital

EDMONTON — A confirmed case of rabies has been found within 15 miles of Edmonton.

Dr. E. E. Ballantyne, Alberta director of veterinary services, reported laboratory tests showed rabies in a coyote killed four miles northeast of Morinville.

This was the closest to Edmonton a confirmed case has been reported since outbreak of the rabies epidemic which resulted in a federal quarantine in movement of dogs in northern Alberta to 29 miles south of Edmonton.

A trapper in the Spirit River area 260 miles northwest of Edmonton reported eight foxes dead along his trapline.

READING BARGAINS THAT SAVE YOU Big Money

THIS NEWSPAPER FOR ONE FULL YEAR, WITH . . .

OFFER No. 1

2 MAGAZINES FROM GROUP B \$3.25

OFFER No. 2

3 MAGAZINES FROM GROUP B \$3.75

OFFER No. 3

1 MAGAZINE FROM GROUP A 2 MAGAZINES FROM GROUP B \$4.75

OFFER No. 4

4 MAGAZINES FROM GROUP B \$4.25

Mark an "X" before magazines desired and enclose list with order.

GROUP A

<input type="checkbox"/> Redbook Magazine	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Coronet	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Chatelaine	2 Yrs.
<input type="checkbox"/> Magazine Digest	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> McCall's Magazine	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> True Story	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Homes & Gardens	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Popular Science	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Afield	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Photoplay	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Modern Screen	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Parents' Magazine	1 Yr.

GROUP B

<input type="checkbox"/> Maclean's Magazine (12 issues)	6 Mos.
<input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Home Journal	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> New Liberty	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Family Herald & Weekly Star	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Free Press Weekly Prairie Farmer	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Country Guide	2 Yrs.
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Producer	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Health (6 issues)	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Saskatchewan Farmer	2 Yrs.
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Farm Leader	1 Yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Poultryman	2 Yrs.
<input type="checkbox"/> True Experiences	1 Yr.

MORE REAL BUYS

Any Magazine Listed Below And This Newspaper, Both For The Price Shown!

Mark an "X" before magazines desired and enclose list with order

<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Night (Weekly)	\$4.60	<input type="checkbox"/> Screen Stories	\$3.25
<input type="checkbox"/> Maclean's Magazine (24 issues)	3.60	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Camera Magazine	4.10
<input type="checkbox"/> American Magazine	4.10	<input type="checkbox"/> Inside Detective	3.35
<input type="checkbox"/> Chatelaine	2.90	<input type="checkbox"/> Cosmopolitan Magazine	4.10
<input type="checkbox"/> Everybody's Digest	3.90	<input type="checkbox"/> Woman's Home Companion	3.85
<input type="checkbox"/> Hunting & Fishing in Canada	3.60	<input type="checkbox"/> Christian Herald	4.10
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Life	3.95	<input type="checkbox"/> McCall's Magazine	3.40
<input type="checkbox"/> Flower Grower	3.75	<input type="checkbox"/> True Story	3.25
<input type="checkbox"/> Redbook Magazine	3.90	<input type="checkbox"/> Parents' Magazine	3.60
<input type="checkbox"/> Collier's Weekly	5.60	<input type="checkbox"/> American Girl	3.95
<input type="checkbox"/> Humpty Dumpty's Magazine	3.75	<input type="checkbox"/> Open Road for Boys	4.10
<input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Life	3.75	<input type="checkbox"/> Children's Digest	3.60

NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINES 1 YEAR, UNLESS TERM SHOWN

ALL OFFERS ARE GUARANTEED

FILL IN AND MAIL TODAY!

Please allow 4 to 6 Weeks for First Copies of Magazine to Arrive

CHECK MAGAZINES DESIRED AND ENCLOSE WITH COUPON
Gentlemen: I enclose \$_____ Please send me the offer checked, with a year's subscription to your newspaper.

Name _____

Street or R.R. _____

Post Office _____



It's here . . . the most talked about NEW tractor in America!!

Come in and See the McCormick FARMALL SUPER M Today!

and arrange to try it on your own farm tomorrow

See for Yourself how it can

- Plow up to 20 acres of tough sod a day.
- Tandem disk up to 50 acres in a day.
- Cultivate up to 65 acres a day.

See the Super M here today

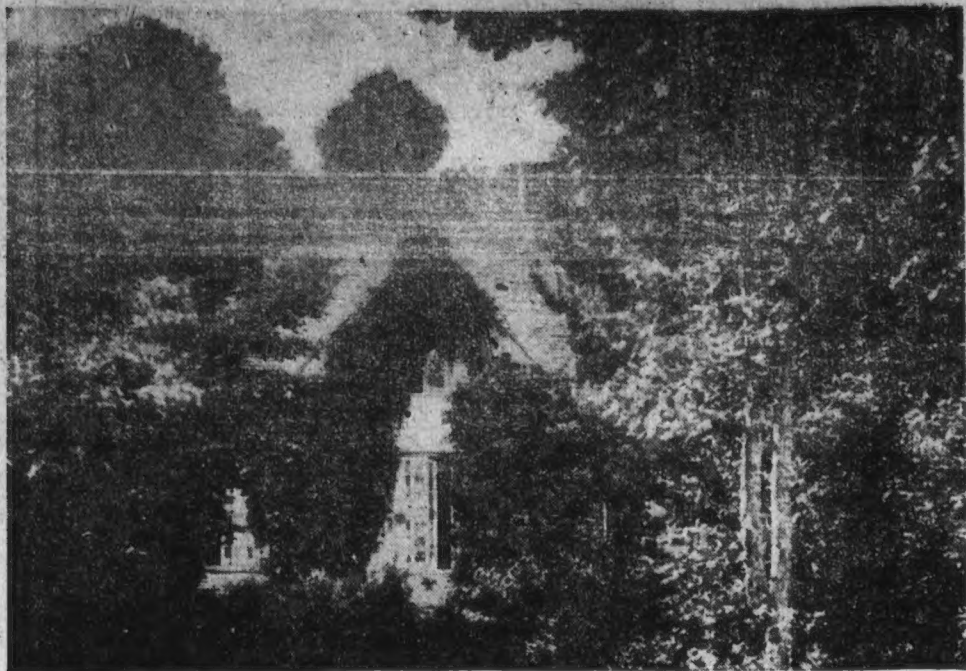
F. J. SCHMALTZ

PHONE 1810 (ACME EXCHANGE)

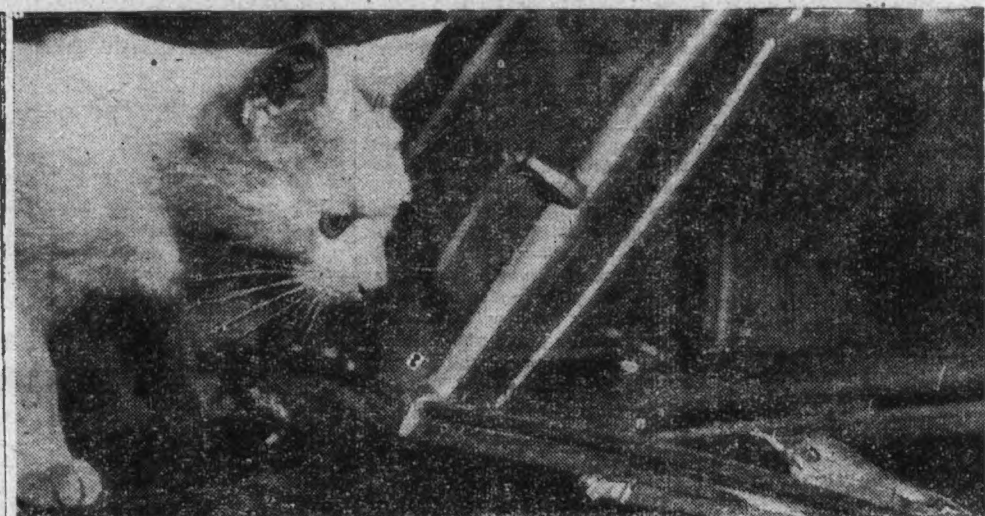
BEISEKER

Albtra

NEWS IN PICTURES



King Home Historic Site. Woodside family home of the late W. L. Mackenzie King, at Kitchener, is seen. The grounds will be converted into a park while the house will be turned into a museum, art library, and will contain many of Mr. King's personal belongings and family heirlooms.



Watch the Birdie. A change in the regular theme is evident here. Usually the theme is that of the cat and the mouse, but as shown here it is a case of the cat and the bird. Smile purr-ty kitty!



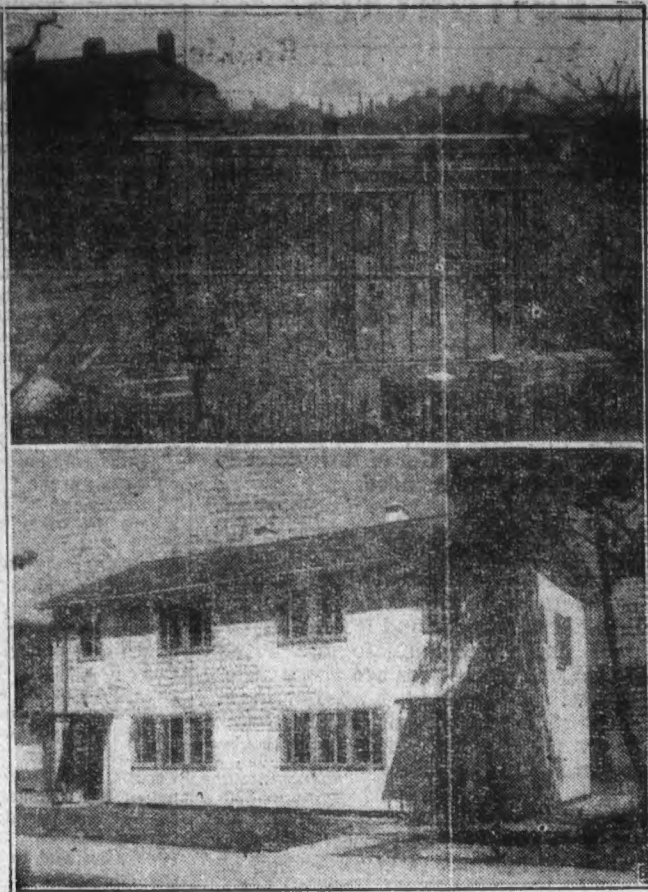
Slick Slacks.

Kathryn Grayson, lovely Hollywood singing star, models the latest in smart lounging ensembles with black velveteen trousers.



No Words Needed Here.

The absolute joy of the child at the return of his daddy, and the complete abandonment of his parents on their first meeting since "Johnny went to war," are the outstanding characteristics of the picture which took first prize in an annual photo contest. The picture is entitled "Reunion".

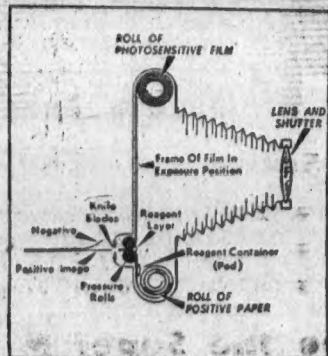


House in 3 Weeks. Without laying a single brick, Britain is replacing many of the four and half-million homes destroyed or damaged during the war with new two-storey, semi-detached permanent Cranwell House. Erected on blitzed sites these white-stuccoed, red-roofed houses will cost about \$18,000 a pair. Mass produced these houses can be erected in three weeks.



1-Minute Camera.

A camera that has picture enthusiasts agog is one recently invented by Erwin Land of Boston. All you have to do, the inventor says, is press the shutter release and within a minute you have a finished picture. Above Mr. Land peels apart the positive (top) from the negative of a picture of himself at a demonstration.



How it works is shown in the drawing. Turn knob on side of camera and, after exposure to a tiny capsule of chemicals, the film and roll of positive paper are put through rollers under pressure. A minute later when peeled apart the picture has become the finished picture.

EDITORIALS

Use With Care

How to rout an enemy without destroying friends is a problem continually facing the scientist. A case in point is that bane of alfalfa seed growers, the lygus bug. This pest can be destroyed with DDT or toxaphone, but to the modern insecticide an insect is an insect. It kills one kind almost as easily as another.

Dr. G. A. Hobbs, Associate Entomologist at the Field Crop Insect Laboratory, Lethbridge, expresses concern about the harm that can be done by indiscriminate dusting and spraying of forage seed fields. Use insecticides with care, he advises. First make sure the need is there, then don't exceed the dose recommended.

In applying chemicals to destroy lygus, the aim of the alfalfa seed grower is to prevent damage to the bloom. But unless the bloom is fertilized and the seed set, his purpose is defeated. His friends in this case are the wild bumblebees and leaf-cutter bees that trip and cross-pollinate the alfalfa flowers. Where these bees are absent there is little seed set in Alberta's alfalfa fields.

Since bees rarely visit alfalfa before the flowers open, there will be little danger to them from dust or spray applied at this time. It is in the chemicals used during the blooming period that the danger lies. Toxaphone is the preferred insecticide when the crop is in bloom. It is somewhat less poisonous to bees than DDT. Timing is also important. Some protection can be provided by using the insecticide only in the evening when the flight of the bees is over for the day.

But the alfalfa seed grower has other friends in the field. Among them are the predators, the lions and tigers of the insect world. One of these, the damsel bug, can do magnificent work in cleaning up the lygus pest. Under controlled conditions, one of these predators killed 29 young and adult lygus during its life. Once established, a comparatively small number of predators can quickly reduce the pest population. If they are destroyed, another source of crop protection is gone.

These are not the only problems facing the entomologist when considering insecticides for crop protection. But they do indicate the need for careful thought on the part of the scientist and careful application on the part of the farmer. It doesn't pay to assume that if one pound of an insecticide is recommended, twice that amount will be better. Stay with the recommendation, advises Dr. Hobbs. Careless use of an insecticide can be disastrous.

Farm Costs Soar

The bureau of agricultural economics puts out a figure called Farm Production Expenses. In 1940 it stood at \$6.6 billion. In 1952 it is estimated by the same source at \$23.4 billion. These expenses are "sticky". Farm prices go up and down much more readily than farm expenses. We in agriculture have a tremendous interest in preventing either future inflation or serious deflation so that we can go about the business of producing agricultural commodities and making a living at it.—Allan B. Kline, president, American Farm Bureau Federation.

High Quality Flax Crop

Western Canada's 1952 flax crop is above average in oil content and quality, according to the board of grain commissioners. The average oil content is 42.7 per cent compared with 42.4 per cent last year. Eighty per cent of the cars inspected to date have graded 1 C.W. Only 3 per cent graded tough or damp compared to 26 per cent last year.

Flax production on the prairies this year is estimated at 12 million bushels, about 3 million higher than last year.

Bible Today

Hear instruction, and be wise, and refuse it not. Proverbs, VIII; 33.

DOWN ON THE FARM

The Easy Way

By ELVIN W. PERSON

ESTHER, Alta. — Mr. Pue's article, "How to Loaf for a Living," telling about how things could be done easier on the farm, reminds me of how some of the old timers in this neck-of-the-woods saved their backs by using their brains.

To make things easier for himself, our nearest neighbor, a Norwegian, Christopher Torgerson by name, took to combining his farm buildings in order to save steps, time, lumber and labor. The machine companies had been doing a lot of combining in regard to machinery, he thought. The binder and the threshing machine had been put together to make a combine harvester. Then some bright engineer had decided to add the tractor and make what is known as a self-propelled combine. So why not combine buildings, Chris thought. Wouldn't it save time and labor, too?

So finally he decided to build a shed which served as a garage for his half-ton pick-up truck, including some additional space for his tractor, too. Along the walls were work benches and racks for some of the farm tools. Then, extending the shed, Chris built a stable with room enough to house a cow and a calf as well as a team of horses. Not completely satisfied, he added a wing to the south of the stable for the purpose of keeping a flock of fifty hens or so. "Nothing like having everything together!" Chris exclaimed proudly as he gave the building a coat of red paint to liven up the grey-brown of the surrounding prairie.

But Chris had nothing on a former old timer, John Hickethier, who used to live to the east of us. People who knew him personally affectionately called him "Hick". But Hick didn't mind... in fact he was proud of his status as a farmer. Even during the drought period of the "dirty-thirties" Hick managed to grow one of the best gardens in the district.

Hick was a bit shy about his ability as a sunflower grower, but brought a sample of his nine-foot crop into town. He leaned it against the office of the "Borderline Budget, the local weekly newspaper at that time, without telling Tom Brimsmead, the editor, anything about it. However, the editor published an item about the flowers in his paper captioning it, "Who is the bashful flower grower?"

The solution to the mystery was solved next week when the editor received a poem which was printed like this:

"The nine-foot sunflowers they were cultivated
With Hick's famous Dry-land Garden hoe;
If you will use one an hour every morning,
You may with pleasure see your garden grow."

Hick was an inventor of sorts, and besides manufacturing garden hoes for sale to his neighbor, he had built himself one of the best barns in the country. A little while afterward disaster struck the Hickethier farm when his house burned down. Hick was a bachelor, so had no problem of where to put his wife. Without further hesitation, he moved lock-stock and barrel up into the loft of his barn. He built himself a cosy little room up there, which served as his bedroom, living room and kitchen.

When the cold winter winds blew around the corners and the winds came whistling down from the north, Hick realized that he had a great advantage over the average farmer. He didn't have to go outside to do the chores!

He used his inventive powers still further, and finally didn't even have to get out of bed. He rigged up a mechanism which he attached to his alarm clock. At four o'clock each morning the alarm rang, and presto! A lever automatically opened the feed trap doors allowing the hay to slither down to the mangers. At the same time another lever connected to the chop bin allowed a measure full of good oat chop to each of the hungry critters down below. If Hick could have figured out a way to get his cows milked, his fortune would have been made.

But disaster struck again. The barn burned down, and Hick, no doubt discouraged, pulled stakes and went back east.

Harvesting Costs Comparison

In 1951 it cost the Brandon experimental station 24 cents a bushel to harvest and deliver a 29 bushel crop of wheat by the old method of binding, stooking, threshing and hauling to market with horses.

In 1952 a 33 bushel wheat crop was taken off by swathing and combining with self-propelled machinery and delivery to elevator by truck, the cost being 18 cents a bushel.

Note and Comment

To get down to it, it is a pity money doesn't grow on trees.

The trouble with most people is not that they do not know what they should do.

NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH by Russ Arnold



65-YEAR OLD GEORGE WILLIS INHERITED A BIG MISSOURI FARM BECAUSE OF A LITTLE, OLD, BOTTLE OF POP!!

On Willis' 5th birthday in 1892, he was given what he desired most—a CASE OF STRAWBERRY SODA POP! HE CAREFULLY GUARDED HIS TREASURE, AND DRANK A BOTTLE ONLY ON SPECIAL OCCASIONS... His grandfather admired his frugality, and in his will stated that if Willis could produce an UNOPENED bottle on Willis' 65th birthday he would inherit the farm—LAST SPRING, WILLIS GOT THE FARM!!



JOE'S STUPIDITY

In reply to Joe (Palooka) Coulastorta, I take a very dim view of his opinion of our girls. When speaking of stupidity one must take care not to condemn the whole of a city's population. I'm sure the stupidity lies within the said queer lad, who doesn't know how to treat the fairer sex. Go back, Joe, to where you came from, for your uncouth manner does not go over with us. You slight us all when you criticize our fine western girls. Here's hoping the next decent girl you meet, Joe (Palooka), gives you the brush-off.

E.S. (An Old Vet)
Gibbons, Alta.

It looks as though Joe Coulastorta was with the only Edmonton girl that would do him wrong—probably someone from his home town. His opinion of our girls doesn't interest us at all, and whether or not it's true that the world begins and ends in Edmonton, we are all proud of our fair city.

Anyway, Joe, I sure have to admire your colossal stupidity. Besides, you lack not only good taste but any kind of discretion. With a guy like you finding fault

with them, we're more certain than ever that our girls are 100 per cent O.K.

R. F. SCHOLES.
Gibbons, Alta.

"LIKE A LETTER FROM HOME"

For some reason or other I missed some issues of the Lac la Biche Herald. I dislike missing even one issue as I know most of the people mentioned in the news. So please see that every issue of the Herald is sent me. While so far away from home I enjoy the paper as much as letters from home.

KAYE POWDER.

2528 57 Court,
Chicago 50, Illinois, U.S.A.

AIRBORNE SNIFFEROO

While returning to Japan from Korea with a pleneload of wounded men being evacuated from Korea, I came upon a copy of an American paper which headlined, "Rita & Aly Shelve Divorce." I would like to know just who gives a d--- about Rita and Aly. Certainly not your sons, brothers, husbands or sweethearts who are suffering and dying on this side of the world.

Nursing Sister JEAN LEONARD.
Japan.

COMFORT BY THE TON

Good News About COAL

THE EGG LAKE COAL MINE is pleased to announce the opening up of a new Coal Field with extra good quality Coal and selling at the lowest prices in the Edmonton district.

Prove to yourself the advantage of burning EGG LAKE COAL. Phone Morinville R905 and ask for a Load of Coal that will prove your best buy is at the

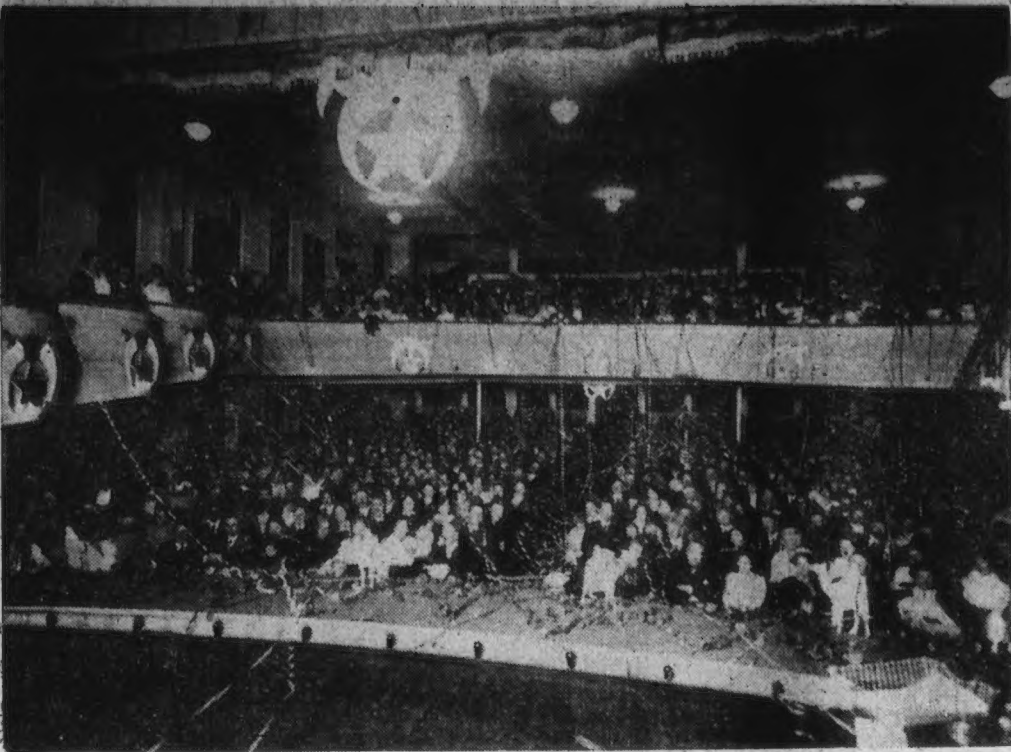
EGG LAKE COAL MINE

For Edmonton orders,
Phone 33287; Evgs., 38923

EGG LAKE COAL COMPANY LTD.

4 Miles North, 3 Miles West, 1 1/2 Miles North
of Morinville

DO YOU REMEMBER?



HERE'S A PICTURE taken in days gone by, right here in Alberta. Perhaps the scene is familiar to you and you can give us some information. For the best written description of this picture contain-

ing 200 words or less, the Editor will pay \$1.00. Send your entry to "DO YOU REMEMBER?" P.O. Box 4430, South Edmonton.

Important Minerals Found In B.C.

EDMONTON — Canada is truly the land of opportunity, particularly in the north and northwest. This territory is so rich that on some occasions opportunity requires little more than sharp eyes to be recognized, as in the case of Dick Alexander of Port Graves, Gambier Island, B.C.

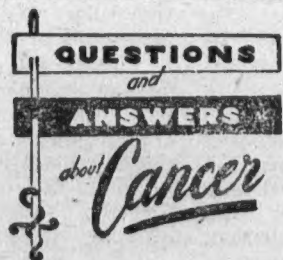
Dick with his brother and a friend were driving up the Big Bend highway, they stopped the car to examine the face of rock that rose to one side of the highway. Not one of them knew a thing about geology. Dick just had a "feeling." They picked up samples of rock and took them to Vancouver for analysis. In a few weeks Dick had a report that said the rock was rich in Kyanite. Dick promptly staked and registered the claim and is presently awaiting development.

Kyanite is a non-metallic mineral capable of withstanding high temperatures. Deposits have been discovered in Ontario during the last few years and in the United States has been mined in limited quantities for several years. Mostly it has been imported from India and Africa at a cost of up to \$60 a ton. For years the U.S.A. has been stock-piling this mineral against defence requirements. Little publicity has been given its uses but it is understood that it has played an important part in defence plans in the U.S.A.

The potential of Kyanite has not been fully realized, probably because of its scarcity and high cost of importing. Many of the Canadian and American finds have proved to be unsound economic propositions due to the presence of other minerals that are difficult and costly to separate thus raising the cost of production out of all proportion to the true value. Dick Alexander's discovery is close to the surface and could be mined on a low cost basis. It is right on a main provincial highway and close to a river that is capable of supplying the power necessary to a mining operation. The geologist's report states that "the thickness of the Kyanite zone is about one hundred feet in its extent and in the other dimensions is great."

probably in the order of several miles."

Some of the known uses of this mineral is in the manufacture of spark plug insulators and in jet aircraft exhausts. Steel, coated with Kyanite, is able to withstand much greater temperatures than steel alone, this gives the layman an idea of the possibilities it has in defence production and other industry when produced in almost pure form in Canada. It would appear that Dick Alexander has really stumbled onto a rich strike.



QUESTION: Does use of aluminum cooking vessels cause cancer?

ANSWER:

No. This rumor was traced to its source and found to be false. Research has proven that even taking small amounts of aluminum in the diet does not affect the incidence of cancer.

Write for Free Literature
CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY

Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Peace River, Grande Prairie, Vermilion or Drumheller.

Hail Losses Down

Up to the end of August 2,500 claims for hail damage totalling \$1,250,000 were filed with the Alberta Hail Insurance Board.

Last year 4,228 claims were filed for around \$2,000,000. This was one of Alberta's bad hail years.

GROW PROFITS

with

"Canwest Seeds"

Wheat, Oats, Barley, Flax, Peas, Alfalfa, Alsike, Clover, Alfaswede, Brome, Fescue Timothy, Hay and Pasture Mixtures, Garden Seeds.

All varieties and grades, attractive prices, free delivery at your station, off-the-car prices.

ALSO

Complete line of weedkillers, Distributor of TRITISAN, non-poisonous seed dressing for wheat.

PLEASE CONTACT US!

Canada West

Grain Co. Ltd.

7410 120 Avenue

Phone 72256 EDMONTON



"Ask your mother, Junior, perhaps she'll know where the other one is."

Paul Cote says:

Mother has already found out — And is she ever going to give Junior a piece of her mind for leaving his roller skates lying around!

This is Dad's opportunity to make her happy again by stocking up on SUN-COLE for satisfactory all-winter heating comfort!

SUNDANCE MINES LTD.

CARDIFF Alta.
Phones: R104 Morinville
41898 Edmonton

1 for EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Editor will pay \$1.00 for every item published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment of My Life." To qualify, items must be true, personal incidents. Address "Embarrassing Moments," P.O. Box 4368, South Edmonton.

After courting my girl friend for some time I asked her to marry me. Imagine my embarrassment when she said, "No thanks, I'm already married."

Onoway

—M. B.

After many years I ran into a woman who had done housework for me. "Golly," I said jokingly to her. "I wouldn't be surprised if I still owed you a dollar or two!" "Yes, Madam," she replied, "as long as you mention it—you still owe me \$1.50 and I could really use it now!"

L. B.

AIR FERN

A bunch of green life-like fern needing neither light nor water.

Per Bunch 50c

POST PAID

WALTER RAMSAY

LTD.

FLORISTS

10166 102 St. Edmonton

Professional Column

INNES OPTICAL CO.
302 Empire Bldg.

Bus. Phone
22562

Res. Phone
31254

SOUCH CLINIC
(Chiropractic)

10019 - 103 STREET

Parking in rear for patients

COURTNEY

DENTAL LABORATORY

3 Bradburn-Thomson Bldg.
10160 101 St. Phone 23112
(Opp. Metropolitan Store)

GLADSTONE
FOOT CLINIC

11437 - 97 St. Phone 72074

Office and Residence
For the Relief and Correction
of Your Food Disorders

Carmen W. Dawdy
Optometrist

11664 95 Street Edmonton
Ph. 75349 Res. Ph. 85315
Evenings by Appointment
PLENTY FREE PARKING

South Edmonton
Dental Laboratory

GERHARD GUENTHER

10321 82 Avenue

Phone 32234

RADIO REPAIRS

Thousands of satisfied customers have us keep their radios in A-1 condition.

RICHARDS RADIO LTD.

10168 102 St., Edmonton

Phones 24964-26421

For your DEEP SEAM COAL

CONTACT

RED HOT COAL LTD.

Located 1/4 mile South, 2 miles West of
South Side Drive-in Theatre

Phone 28915

Wanted!

CAST IRON

Scrap — any quantities, large or small
highest cash prices paid on delivery to
our yard at:

9636 105 Avenue

EDMONTON JUNK COMPANY

Phone 24943

GUARANTEED Results

Good Snapshots or a
New Film FREE!
King Size Pocket Album
Snapshots 6c Each

Edmonton Photo Supply

10005 Jasper Avenue

Phone: 22352-22366

"COLOR HEADQUARTERS"

Canada's Puritanical Boom

By William Clarke in Saturday Night

William Clark is a London Observer correspondent. His story to The Observer on his visit to the Canadian west shows how the great developments there look to British eyes.

The red-faced man in front of me in the queue at the cashier's desk was determined to be nasty. He had told us several times that they did things better in Chicago, and that he couldn't think why he had ever come to Calgary, or Alberta or Canada.

"Seven dollars is too much for a hotel room in this hick town," he grumbled as he counted out seven dollar bills and turned to go. "Excuse me, sir," said the patient cashier, "there is another 40 cents to pay, the United States dollar is at a discount here you know."

There was a moment in which apoplexy seemed certain, and mayhem likely, but the shock was too great and the Chicagoan paid up without a word. Not a single Canadian grinned, but all of them managed to look very pleased in a restrained way.

The price of hotel rooms, and the difficulty of getting them even at a price, is only one indication of the boom which is enveloping the West of Canada. Every town is surrounded by concentric rings of new houses, the last few rows usually still awaiting the arrival of public services. In Edmonton, which is both the capital of Alberta and self-consciously postmarks all letters "The oil capital of Canada," the town has grown so fast that the airport has been entirely surrounded.

There can be no doubt that Edmonton is a boom town; money is easy, prices are grotesque, the broad streets are clogged with shiny bulbous new American cars. Yet the scene, which is in many ways so reminiscent of American movies about boom towns in the old West, is given a definitely Canadian flavor by the curious fact that this is a puritanical boom. At ten o'clock the town is asleep, there are no gambling dens, no shots in the night followed by the sound of sheriff's posses, above all, there are no saloons.

It is not possible to buy a drink of anything stronger than beer in Edmonton and even that is only provided in bars for men separated by a thick wall from bars for women. Alberta takes the pleasures of wealth with a Presbyterian seriousness that reflects the strong Scots element in the population.

The Prime Minister of the Province is himself an earnest Churchman who regards politics as the continuation of religion by other means. His Social Credit Government has long since abandoned ideas of currency manipulation (except in theory) and concentrates its attention on sound, honest and very conservative administration.

For in spite of the boom, in spite of the great fortunes that are being made, Canadians are acutely aware that they stand today where the United States stood at the end of the Civil

War: on the threshold of great expansion; and they are determined to learn from the mistakes of their neighbor, just as they feel that they have learned from the mistakes of the Mother Country.

But it is difficult for Canada, living next-door to the most powerful country in the world, to feel sure that she will remain master of her fate. The days of President Polk, of "Fifty-four Forty or fight" and of overt American Imperialism are over, but the 49th parallel is a very thin wall against the power of American capital. The oil fields of Alberta are at present largely financed by United States dollars, and this is greatly resented.

"Canada cannot be independent and show the world what she's made of till Canadian industries are financed by Canadian money," I was told by a banker in Calgary. I asked how a country with a population little larger than some of the individual States of the American union could hope to finance the development of half a continent.

"By Canadian money," he replied. "I mean the traditional Canadian dollar which is 50 cents of United States money and 50 cents of sterling." There is no difficulty about getting 50 cents from the United States.

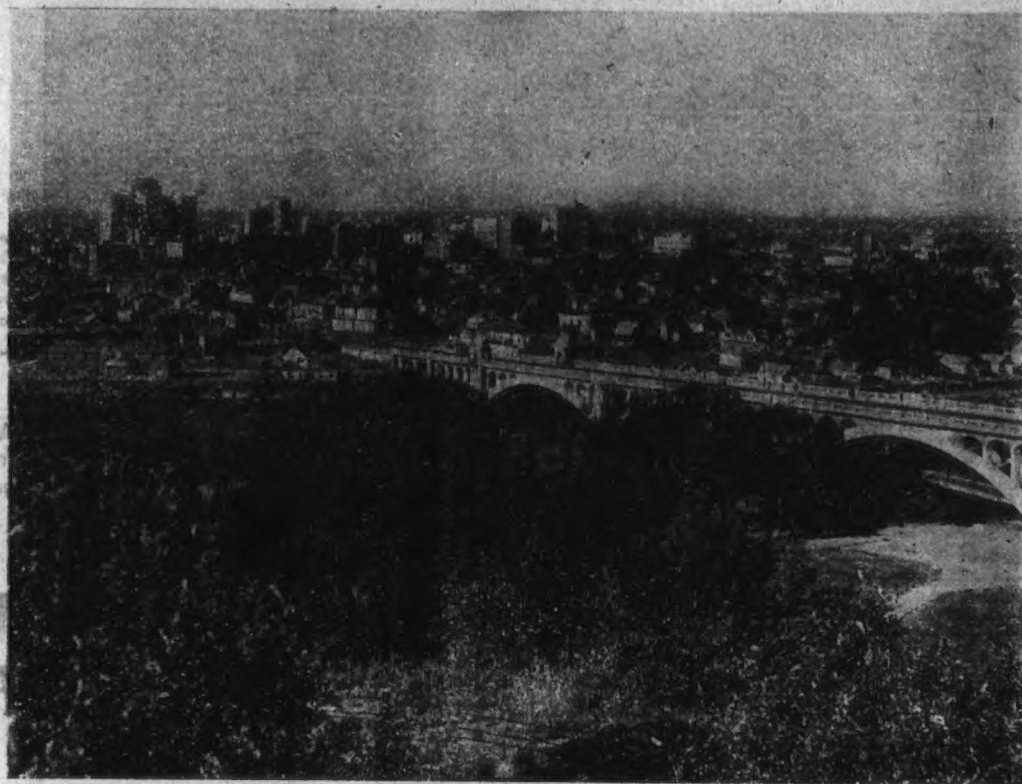
The absence of British capital investment

throughout the West of Canada, however much since the war is a cause of deep dissatisfaction this is explained away as cruel economic necessity.

The sudden flowering of the United States, in the past ten years, and particularly the shift in the balance of power within the States to a little West of Centre, has made the Canadian West far more aware of the merits of a more distant, less powerful Britain. In Commonwealth talk Canada may seem to us to be just part of the dollar area, but in talks across the border Canadians are almost aggressively British.

There are weaknesses in the Canadian position of independence of which they are very well aware. The need to get capital from the United States alone, rather than from two or more competitive bidders is one such weakness; the lack of an indigenous Canadian culture is another, though every effort is being made to produce "national" schools of Art and Letters.

But as I flew from Winnipeg to Chicago over the everlasting miles of wheat I could feel the strength and solidity of Canada's claim to be recognized as a great emergent nation. It was with pride that I put down eight Canadian dollars to pay my poll tax at the Chicago airport. "Sorry, Bud," said the immigration officer, "this foreign money's no good here."



PICTURED ABOVE is one of Canada's booming cities which is undergoing rapid but restrained expansion, as explained by Mr. Clark in his observations on Canada's exceptional growth.

Varsity Guest Weekend--Feb. 27-March 1 FIRE WATER

EDMONTON — University of Alberta alumni, parents and thousands of guests are expected to visit the University campus February 27-March 1 for the third annual Varsity Guest Weekend.

The three-day mammoth exhibition is a student-organized function planned to acquaint people of the province with university life.

For the first time, the annual alumni Homecoming, usually held in the fall, will be co-ordinated with Varsity Guest Weekend.

Plans include a gala Home-

coming Ball in the new MacDonald Hotel ballroom, two nights of championship basketball with the University of Manitoba, several teas and formal receptions, musical concerts, a variety show, church services and dozens of faculty displays.

A special edition of the University paper, The Gateway, will be mailed through the province and hundreds of posters and informative booklets are being prepared for distributing to intermediate and high schools and other interested groups.

The weekend officially opens Friday evening at the Students'

union Building, after which there will be a preview of the many faculty displays. Events slated for Friday evening include basketball in the University gym, the Alumni Ball and a performance of the University Symphony.

Registration for out-of-town students and visitors will begin Saturday morning. The guests will be conducted around the campus by an army of students who will tour places of interest and supply their charges with lunch and free movies.

The well-known University Mixed Chorus, under the direction of conductor Richard Eaton,

will perform Saturday afternoon in Convocation Hall. Evening entertainment features a variety show sponsored by the Golden Key Society, an honorary association of students who have made outstanding contributions to campus life.

Following the church services Sunday morning, a Musical Club concert will be held in Convocation Hall.

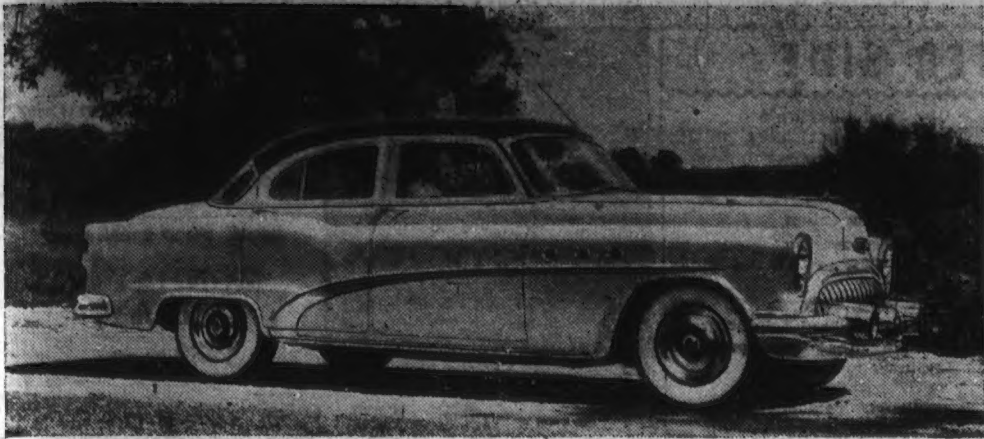
It is expected that between 3,000 and 5,000 people will attend. Doug Burns, of Calgary, Students' Union Public Relations officer, is in charge of arrangements.

SAGINAW, Mich.—James Wilcox, 56, a bachelor, fell asleep while smoking a cigarette and it set his bed afire. Aroused, he beat out the flames, and returned to slumber.

The fire flared up again, and burned his arm. He ran to a nearby fire station. Firemen found the smoker's mother, Mrs. Robert Wilcox, 86, overcome by smoke. She was rushed to the hospital.

While Wilcox was being treated for burns his cigarette set fire to a hospital bed.

Wilcox was taken to jail and booked as intoxicated.



BUICK FOR 1953 features increased power and fresh new styling on all its Golden Anniversary lines. Custom Series offers the Fireball straight-eight engine, producing 130 horsepower; while the Super and Roadmaster Series introduce a new valve-in-head V-8 engine, producing 170 horsepower in the Super, and the Roadmaster with its Airpower carburetor, produces 188 horsepower. The new V-8 has a compression ratio of 8.5 to 1. The new Twin Turbine Dynaflo Drive for faster acceleration, and Power Steering are standard equipment on the Roadmaster and optional extras on the Super and Custom Series. The front end of the 1953 Buick has been completely redesigned with a new hood line, new grille, and an ultra-modern headlight arrangement. The exterior styling features flowing body lines that blend into a new rear fender. Other features include wider front seats, new instrument panel, new steering wheel, and a wide variety of bright new color and trim combinations. Shown here is the Custom Series four-door sedan.

NUMEROUS INNOVATIONS FEATURE 1953 BUICKS

Incorporating the largest number of important styling and engineering changes of any new-model year in the past quarter-century, Buick for 1953 made its bow recently to the Canadian motoring public with a Golden Anniversary line of cars.

Three series are offered—the Custom, Super and Roadmaster, all with stepped-up horsepower and compression ratio. The Custom offers the Fireball straight-eight engine, producing 130 horsepower with Dynaflo transmission and 125 with Synchronesh. The Super—like the Roadmaster—series, features a new valve-in-head V-8 engine, rated at 170 horsepower with Dynaflo and 165 with Synchronesh, while in the Roadmaster, with Buick's airpower carburetor, the new motor produces 188 horsepower.

The highest compression ratio in the North American automotive industry—8.5 to one—is offered by the new V-8 engine with Dynaflo.

Performance and fuel economy are markedly improved by a new Twin Turbine Dynaflo, which is standard equipment on the Roadmaster and optional at extra cost

on the other two series. For example, on the Custom series the new Dynaflo combines with the improved straight-eight engine to give faster acceleration from a standing start to 30 miles per hour than was possible on the 1952 Roadmaster with its 170 horse-power engine, according to Buick engineers.

The new Twin Turbine Dynaflo is described as taking hold with a more solid feel than its predecessor, and in tests between cars with the new and old transmissions, those with the 1953 Dynaflo reached 50 miles per hour, 83 feet ahead.

Buick's power steering, a popular option last year, becomes standard equipment on the 1953 Roadmaster, and continues to be available on the Super and Custom.

A major innovation is power brakes, optional on the Roadmaster at extra cost, which are said to take 75 per cent of the foot effort out of braking. Air conditioning is optional at extra cost on the two-door Rivas of the Roadmaster and Super series.

New styling features include a new front end, new headlights modelled after those on the

Buick's famed XP-300, new rear fenders and interior trim combinations of striking beauty and luxury. A new and wider grille provides better cooling for the engine and gives the car a lower look. The top line of the hood has been extended forward to give a bolder appearance to the front profile and the hood ornament has been partially recessed.

The new rear fenders, similar to those on the XP-300, are designed to resemble tail fins with the crown extending back to the bullet-shaped tail and stoplights that project from the rear. The tail and stoplights are mounted one above the other with a reflector in between.

A new twelve-volt electrical system has been adopted for both the Roadmaster and Super series, providing adequate ignition for firing the high compression V-8 engine.

Buick's "draftproof" air conditioning unit, which will be offered as optional equipment at extra cost on the two-door and four-door sedans in the Roadmaster and Super series, has a capacity of 32 average-size household refrigerators. This is sufficient to reduce the air temperature in the passenger compartment from 105 degrees to a comfortable level in a few minutes.

Ask For Farm Storage

J. L. Phelps, president of the Saskatchewan Farmers' Union, has asked the federal government to adopt the policy of paying farmers for grain stored on farms.

At the last annual meeting of the Alberta Wheat Pool, Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of trade and commerce, was asked about the payment of farm storage. Mr. Howe said that payment for such storage would have to come out of Wheat Board funds and thus reduce the final payment. He did not think such a policy was advisable.

Keys Cut

Prompt Mail Order Service
Westmount Cycle Shop
11005 - 127 Street
Edmonton Ph. 52635 Alberta

Andre M. Dechene

LL.B.
Barrister - Solicitor
Notary

Associated with
Messrs. Duncan, Johnson,
Miskew, Dechene, Bishop
& Blackstock
Second Floor
Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg.
Edmonton, Alberta

Edmonton Professor "Loaned" To Ceylon

EDMONTON (BUP)—A University of Alberta professor is on his way to Ceylon to bolster the hills of the monsoon-swept island in the Indian Ocean.

Dr. C. F. Bentley left his post with the soils department of the faculty of agriculture for a one-year stint with the Ceylon government administration, as a human contribution in Canada's \$25,000,000 program of aid to the countries of South-East Asia under the Colombo plan.

Bentley is flying to Kandy in the uplands of the island with his wife and two children via London and Rome.

He will be in charge of the government's soil conservation program in the Commonwealth country besides advising on farming problems in association with members of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.

His main task, however, will be to stop the steady erosion of soil in the tea-growing mountains which has become a serious threat to one of the island's major industries.

"Soil conservation plays a vital role in the economy of Ceylon because of the heavy rain during the long monsoon season," Bentley said. "The Ceylonese have great native skill in growing tea and rice on hillsides, but we hope to prevent continual landslides by scientific planning and land-working."

Mrs. Bentley, who was teaching related arts in the department of household economics here, said she hoped to do similar work at the University of Ceylon on the outskirts of Kandy after they had settled down in their new tropical surroundings.

In 1941 a population check showed the average number of children per family in Canada by racial origin as: British 2.87; French 5.35; others 3.23.

UNWANTED HAIR

Permanently eradicated from any part of the body with "SACA-FELO," the remarkable discovery of the age. Saca-Felo contains no drug or chemical and will kill hair root.

Lor-Beer Laboratories
679 Granville St., Vancouver, B.C.

Eric Triska R.O.P. Hatchery & Poultry Farm

Ph. 71288 12936 Fort Road

Years of trapping and breeding work have made Triska strain White Leghorns and

**OUTSTANDING VALUE
IN ALBERTA**

Pedigreed and Commercial Chicks
Leghorns and Sussex only.

HOLT'S PISTON SEAL

The Motorist's Friend

- Reduces Oil Consumption
- Restores Compression
- Eliminates Piston Slap
- Guaranteed Absolutely Harmless

Only \$5.95 Tube Postpaid

**SCONA
AUTO SUPPLY**

9729 - 103 Ave., Edmonton

PIANOS

The Alberta Piano Co., Ltd., Calgary, Alta., offers amazing values in New and Refinished Pianos, all carrying our service guarantee. Prices to suit every pocket-book from \$200.00 upwards, including such makes as Kurtzman, Gulbranson, Mason & Risch, etc. Our demonstration vans will visit points in Alberta by request. A fine stock of New Pianos is always available in Blond, Walnut or Mahogany.

Write or Phone
**THE ALBERTA PIANO
COMPANY LTD.**

Agents for New Wurlitzer Pianos
1307 - 1st Street W., Calgary.
Telephone 29233, Calgary

INSULATE with the BEST ROCK WOOL

Alberta Rock Wool Distributors
10921 - 106 Avenue, Edmonton
Phone 21805



BEFORE YOU BUY

HARDWARE

CHECK WITH THE

Edmonton Supply

Plumbing, Plumbing Supplies, Steel Pipe Fittings
and hundreds of other items.

Phone 21967

Cor. Jasper Ave. at 96th St.

Colder days may yet lie ahead!

Order your coal requirements and be prepared for the worst.



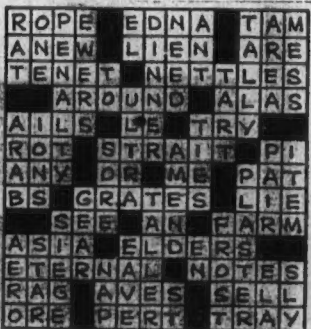
MORINVILLE COLLIERY

Phone 415

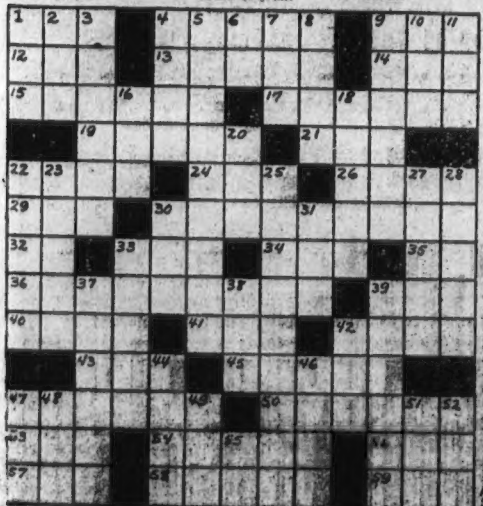
MORINVILLE

Our Weekly CROSSWORD PUZZLE

- ACROSS**
- Part of circle
 - Take for one's own
 - Toward the stern
 - Conclude
 - Muscular core
 - Also
 - Essay
 - List
 - Bubbles up
 - Pronoun
 - Insects
 - Noun suffix
 - Capital of Norway
 - Twice
 - Formed an opinion
 - Diagraph
 - Ship at sea (abbr.)
 - Large tub
 - Printed notice
 - Throw here and there
 - Hail
 - Weird
 - Beetle
 - Malt beverage
 - Small island
 - Chemical compound
 - Altitude
 - An antiseptic
 - Sheltered side
 - Full of land
 - Lamprey
 - Beard of grain



Last Week's Solution



- DOWN**
- Likey
 - Cheer
 - Cracks
 - Connect
 - Semi-dwary
 - Preposition
 - By
 - Fair
 - Testily
 - Enemy
 - Rocky pinnacle
 - Distress signal
 - Small pig
 - Put down
 - Verbal
 - Female relative
 - By a river
 - Depart
 - More strange
 - Come me
 - Angry
 - Fashion
 - Gotten up
 - Fair eggs
 - Core nests
 - Couch
 - Formerly
 - Darkening
 - Whirlpool
 - Such
 - Back-story balance
 - Born
 - Haziest note
 - Capitate noun

\$1 for BRIGHT SAYINGS

The Editor will pay \$1.00 for each child's saying printed. To qualify, item must be true, personal remarks of a child known to the writer. Address: "Bright Sayings," P.O. Box 4368, South Edmonton.

I was busy planing a board for my little brother's sled. He came into the work shop with a worried look on his face, when he heard the noise of the machinery working on the wood and said: "Please don't do any more; can't you hear the poor board crying?"
Plamondon. Johnny Trefanenko.

My little boy went to the show with his mother. Asked how he liked the movie, he replied: "Not bad, if you shut your eyes in the mushy parts and imagined he was choking her instead of making love to her."
Myrnam. Bill Gray.

Take Elemin Mineral and G. & J. Vitamins
For relief of Arthritis, Rheumatic Pains, Varicose Veins, Headaches, Nervous Trouble, Eczema and Ulcers.
See Agent
F. G. BELL
11904 - 95 St. Phone 22774

When in the City Shop Around the Corner and Save!
VAL BERG'S MEN'S WEAR
103 St., Just South of Jasper EDMONTON

English Motorcycle SALES and SERVICE
Edmonton Branch
10449-51 - 124 Street
Norton Distributors
Repairs for all makes . . .
Phone 86488 or write

Weiller & Williams COMPANY LTD.
Edmonton's Leading Livestock Commission Firm
Always at your service at the Edmonton Stock Yards
Office Phone 71211
Night 82965 - 29607

WATER WELLS
We are prepared to service your water well requirements with modern equipment and experienced personnel.
Please direct your enquiry to:
Coralta Drilling Ltd.
Lot 119, Skyline Trailer Park
Edmonton, Alta. Ph. 782477

First For All Your Plumbing!
Our thorough professional work will give you satisfaction. Let us put improvements in your home. You will be surprised at the low cost.
C. R. Frost Co. Ltd.
10185 - 102 Street Edmonton



THE LIGHTER SIDE

Diplomacy

Prof: "Mr. Smith, will you tell me why you look at your timepiece so often?"

Smith (suavely): "Yes, sir! I was afraid, sir, that you wouldn't have time to finish your interesting lecture, sir."

Steps of Any Kind

Wife: "Jock, it's high time we took steps to—"

Jock: "Na, lass let's not talk of wasting leather."

Male Parents Are That Way

Why is it fathers laugh in glee at tricks their children do at three and spank them if they see a sign of such behavior when they're nine?

Amazing

An English lad and an Indian guide were on a camping trip in the States when they came to a trout stream.

"You like fish, huh?" asked the Indian.

"Yes," replied the Englishman, briefly.

A year later the English lad again met the Indian.

"How!" said the Indian, raising his hand gravely in welcome.

"Fried," replied the Englishman.

Vacation Pay

Little Pay check in a day,
You and I will go away
To some gay and festive spot;
I'll return, but you will not.

An Early Start

Draftee: "Goodbye, dear." Look after the home well, and if you need money while I'm gone, just go to the bank."

Wife: "Yes, dear. What time does the bank open this morning?"

Tough!

Judge—Only married a week and beat your wife? A month's imprisonment will cure you.

Husband—It's a bit tough spoiling our honeymoon like that."

God's Helper

The teacher was giving the primary class a talk on flowers. "Now, children," she said, "who can tell me what makes the flower spring from the seed?"

"God does it," answered one little girl, "but fertilizer helps."

Good Reporting

Reporter—What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who had a fight at the baseball game last night?

Friend—Why, just say the bleachers went wild.

Explains Everything

Ida: "I hear you've accepted him. Did he happen to mention that he'd proposed to me?"

Ina: "Not specifically. He did say that he'd done a lot of foolish things before he met me."

Good Substitute

"If you couldn't have wealth what would you choose?"

"Credit."

Precaution

Patient (recovering from an operation)—Why are all the blinds drawn, doctor?

Doctor—Well, there's a fire across the street, and I didn't want you to think that the operation was a failure.

"Cooler Tomorrow"

Judge (in traffic court): "I'll let you off with a fine this time, but another day I'll send you to jail."

Prisoner: "Sort of a weather forecast, eh, Judge?"

"What do you mean?"

"Fine today, cooler tomorrow."

Out of the Rat

"Remember, darling, you won't always be a junior clerk in a old office."

"That's a fact! I've already got a week's notice."

No Time to Grow

Mrs. Noowed—Aren't these eggs rather small today?

Grocer—Yes'm, but the farmer who sells me my eggs had to start to town early this morning and took them out of the nest too soon.

Quick Canadian Quiz No. 104

1. Name the four Quebec cities having more than 50,000 population.
 2. In what year did federal taxes reach an all-time high?
 3. Canada's first teletype service, established in 1846, connected what cities?
 4. What was Canada's first radio broadcasting station?
 5. How many mills are there in all Canada making wool textiles or knitted goods: 153, 289, 567?
- ANSWERS: 5. 567 mills. 3. Hamilton and Toronto. 1. Montreal, Quebec, Verdun, Sherbrooke. 4. Station XWA, now CFCF, Montreal, opened in 1919. 2. This year, more than half as high again as in 1944, wartime peak.

AUTO RADIOS

Factory custom and universal for all vehicles
SALES and SERVICE
COWLEY BROS.
9914 - 109 Street Ph. 25582

EARL LANYON

AUCTIONEER
Farm Sales and Sales of Pure Bred Livestock a Specialty
Telephone 31781
Residence: 11108 - 82 Avenue

Keep Out the Winter Chill

WITH

SAMIS COAL

SAMIS COLLIERIES

Miners and Distributors of Domestic Coal

203 Wallace Building

Edmonton, Alberta

Mine Phone, 972-1311; Bus. Phone, 22805



BERT PARKS...
new paymaster-of-ceremonies,
quizzes contestants
and pays

DOUBLE OR NOTHING

MONDAY to
FRIDAY,
2:30 p.m.

CFRN

WILLYS Cars -- Trucks Jeeps -- Station Wagons -- Panels

Two- and Four-Wheel Drive Units

A few dealerships at country points still open.

WE INVITE YOUR ENQUIRY

USED CARS at very low prices

MILLER MOTOR CO. LTD.

WILLYS DISTRIBUTOR—PACKARD DEALERS

10019 104 St.

Phone 22776

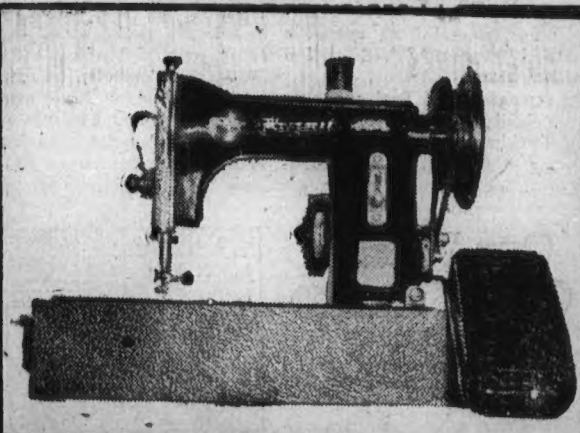
1953 PACKARD on display

Commencing February 5

BRAND NEW..... SEWING MACHINE

★ FEATHERWEIGHT ★ PORTABLE
★ ELECTRIC ★ REVERSE STITCH
★ ROUND BOBBIN

5-Year Guarantee



FULL PRICE ONLY

Special Terms.
C.O.D. Orders Accepted.

\$69.50

LIBERAL TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE
FOR FREE HOME TRIAL

PHONE 74634 Evenings 26895

Free Home Demonstration Anywhere In Alberta Without
Obligation By Our Local Representative.

Attention, Out-of-Town Customers!
FOR YOUR FREE HOME TRIAL FILL IN
THIS COUPON:

Name

Address

Fill in and mail to Standard Sewing Machine Centre

STANDARD SEWING MACHINE CENTER

LIMITED

9206 111 Avenue


EDMONTON

HAROLD FJELHEIM
Auctioneer, License No. 218
of PIBROCH, Alberta
will handle your Farm and Household
Sale. Contact—
GEORGE HOLMES
GIBBONS, Alberta

CERTAINLY . . . Sir!
You Are Always Welcome
at the
HOTEL ROYAL
Conveniently located in the
heart of Downtown Calgary
3rd Ave. and 2nd St. W.
Phone M8595

**Petroleum Leases
and Royalty**
For top prices see **WALTER
BORLE**, at No. 4 Cowan Bldg.,
9656 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton.
Phone 26709.
Accredited Agent
Alberta Minerals, Limited

**Sell Your Cattle
By "AUCTION"**
The latest and most profitable
method of marketing your
livestock. Phone — Write or
Wire for any information on
your livestock problems.
O. A. BROWN LTD.
Livestock Commission Agent
EDMONTON STOCKYARDS
Phone 71124


TYPEWRITERS
NEW and USED
Portable and Office
Machines
Adding Machines and
Cash Registers
FRED JENKINS
Smith Corona Dealer
PHONE 21337
Tower Building : Edmonton

**The Right
Combination**
for miles of trouble-free motoring

PURITY
GASOLINES-MOTOR OILS-GREASES
Drive in at the Sign of the 99
**Gas and Oil
PRODUCTS**
HEAD OFFICE - CALGARY

LETTERS TO LOUISA

Dear Louisa:
I am a girl of 24 years and I
have had quite a few disappoint-
ments in life.
I have a boy friend who has a
very good job. We have gone to-
gether several years and he often
tells me how much he loves me
and I love him very much.
He tells me real often that we
will marry soon and then some-
thing always happens or he has a
good excuse.
Do you really think he loves
me? Must I keep on going like
this or must I try to forget him?
Worried Ruth.

Answer:
It is time to have a showdown.
If the boy is really in love with
you, he has no excuse to put off
marriage any longer.
You are not getting any younger
and if he keeps this up for a few
more years, your chances of find-
ing a husband will be much less
than they are now.
So, my advice is to tell him that
you have waited long enough to
begin making a home and having
a family and that, if he is not
ready for marriage, the best thing
to do is to call the whole thing off.
If he is really in love with you
and intends to marry you, he will
do so now rather than lose you.
LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:
I am a girl of 12 and I live in
a small town. The girls who live
near me are lots older than I am
and they go on dates and dances.
My mother and father won't permit
me to do this because I am too
young. I know you will think I am
too young and I do myself. But
when I see the other girls having
fun it makes me angry because I
can't go too.
A Girl from Virginia.

Answer:
It is hard to have to wait to
grow up, but have patience, for it
doesn't take too long.
You are too young to be going
on dates and I am glad that you
have enough sense to realize that
your mother and father are right,
about this matter.
Aren't there some young people
of your age, not too far away with
whom you can go? It would be
nice for a few of you to form a
club and for the parents to take
turns once a week in gathering up
the crowd for a little informal
party at the different houses.
I think it is nice for young peo-
ple of your age to have good times
together but it is not wise to be
dating so young and very unwise
to begin going with an older crowd
at your age.
LOUISA.



RONNIE BAKER and **Marjorie
Taylor**, British dance champions,
appear in "Dance Date", one of
the nine big production numbers
in the all new **ICE CYCLES** of
1953, coming to the Edmonton
Gardens, starting February 2nd.

Ice Cycles Credited As First Million Dollar Show

EDMONTON—Ice Cycles can
well take the title of a recent
musical comedy, "The Million
Dollar Baby", because it is the
first and only million dollar show
in the history of all show business.
The Great Ziegfeld never had
more than one-fifth of that
amount in his biggest of shows,
not only because his cast repre-
sented but a small part of the huge
roster of Ice Cycles and therefore
fewer costumes, but mainly be-
cause it wasn't possible to spend
any more money on the compara-
tively small capacity of theatres
against the five to twenty thou-
sand seat arenas played by Ice
Cycles. Too, he never played as
many as forty-seven weeks on the
road. This was because the small
towns could not support that type
of show.
In Ice Cycles of 1953, the em-
broidery alone on the costumes
cost \$118,000. So, at last is born
"The First Million Dollar Show".

Rail Strike Wouldn't Affect N.A.R. Service

EDMONTON — The threatened
rail strike across Canada won't
materialize. In Ottawa the Gov-
ernment has stepped in and
brought the parties together with
terms of a settlement which as-
sures continued train service. How-
ever, in the event of work stoppage
by the Brotherhood of Railroad
Trainmen, February 2, on the
lines of the Canadian National and
Canadian Pacific Railways, pas-
senger and mixed train operations
of the Northern Alberta Railways
would not have been affected and
normal passenger and express ser-
vice would be maintained by the
Northern Alberta Railways to and
from Edmonton (Canadian National
Railways Station).
J. F. Cooper, General Manager
of the NAR explained that had a
rail strike on CNR and CPR lines
tied up the train service, Northern
Alberta service would have been
curtailed only insofar as it joined
to the other rail lines. Fortunately,
however, precautions taken to im-
prove in event of a major train
stoppage across Canada are not
now necessary.

MARVELLOUS CAREER For YOUNG MEN

with some plastering
experience!
Young men (must be at least 6
feet tall), required immediately to
train as mechanical Drywall Taping
operators. Some plastering experience
required. Successful applicants will
undergo 3 months training period
with pay. Must be free to travel
anywhere in Canada. Men who qualify
as Master Tapers will earn as high
as \$2.50 per hour. Immediate employ-
ment available.
Sickness and hospitalization benefits.
Unlimited opportu-
nities for advance-
ment to managerial
positions for men
with ability and
initiative. Personal
interviews arranged
at our expense for
successful appli-
cants. State educa-
tional status, age,
experience and other
background in-
formation in applying.

Please apply in writing
Box 310, Edmonton, Alta.


**For Your AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE See—
THE CANADA WEST INSURANCE CO.**
9908 - 109 Street
Edmonton
Phone 25574-25562
Alberta
Re-insured with Excess Insurance Company of America
Automobile Insurance for Alberta Motorists
SEE YOUR LOCAL AGENT IN YOUR TOWN

\$1 for Favorite RECIPE

KISSES
Take the well-beaten whites of
three eggs. Add ¼ cup granulated
sugar, ¼ teaspoon cream of tartar,
and flavor with ½ teaspoon lemon,
vanilla, or rose extract.
Drop on buttered paper with a
spoon, sift sugar over them, and
bake 45 minutes in a slow oven.
Eaten with ices.
You'll enjoy sharing your Favor-
ite Recipe with others. Send it
to us, and if it's published you'll
receive \$1.00. The recipe for
"Kisses" was sent in by Orysla
Myckan, who received \$1.00 check.
The Canadian roster of civil
servants federally employed stood
at 131,646 in March, 1952. Of
these 32,689 worked at Ottawa.

YEE YEE
Herb Remedies
(Established 1935)
Quick Relief For All
Ailments
Skin Diseases, Ulcers,
Asthma, Rheumatism
NEW LOCATION—
9636 102A Avenue
Edmonton

For very low cost you can
make that Old Furniture
Look like New
**Deluxe
Upholstering Co.**
11009 - 127 Street
EDMONTON Alberta
Phone 87913
Evenings and Holidays 77372


\$ Saved are \$ Earned
Competition is necessary to the
country's economy and welfare. It
keeps quality high and prices low.
MEARNS COAL is essential to the
warmth and comfort of the home.
Mearns Coal Co. Ltd.
Phone R915 Morinville or Phone 38 Morinville
4 Miles North, 3 Miles West and 1 Mile North of Morinville

Hudson's Bay Company
INCORPORATED 24th MAY 1870
**COUNTRY
CUSTOMERS!**
**BUY AT THE BAY FOR VALUE
QUALITY, ASSORTMENT**
● Speedy, efficient attention to all Mail and
Phone Orders.
● Free Delivery Anywhere in Alberta.
● You MUST be satisfied or your money re-
funded!
● Use this handy Coupon to order goods in any
of our daily advertisements.

To: Hudson's Bay Company,
Name
Address
Description of Merchandise. (Please state color,
size, style, etc., where applicable).
.....
.....
.....
Payment — Cash ☐ Charge ☐ C.O.D. ☐

BOZO — MAILING A LETTER

By FOXO REARDON



News Oddities

Marry At Leisure

WARREN, ARK. — An elderly couple appeared before Judge W. A. Baker, Warren's "marrying" justice of the peace, and explained that they had been engaged to be married but the plans were changed and they were just now getting around to it. Then they gave him their marriage licence, which had been issued in 1909.

And All Ends Happily

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — The telephone Romeo who got Donald Clark's number by mistake was distressed because he had no more dimes for the pay phone, but that didn't interfere with his quick thinking. He asked Clark to call the girl and tell her to phone him at the pay station. Clark did.

Trouble Shooter

WAYNE, ARK. — Jake Wiltshire had no trouble at all modifying his television antenna. The Memphis station switched channels. Wiltshire got his shotgun and shot the ends of the antenna. Worked fine.

Thief Finds It's A Hoggy Bank

MIAMI — The third piggy-bank theft in as many weeks here reveals that some contain more than chicken feed. A piggy-bank containing \$27 was stole recently from a desk drawer. Before that a prowler walked off with a well-fed piggy-bank containing \$1,000, the property of a prominent contractor.

Age-Old Right

CHICAGO. — Judge Julius J. Miner ruled here that a marriage can't be annulled because the woman lied about her age. Richard Crescenzo, 21, said his wife told him she was 24 when he married her. But then he found out she was 10 years older than he was.

Lucky Enough For Two

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky. — Harvey McInney, 30, charged with being drunk, couldn't pay his fine and was assigned to the workhouse street-cleaning detail. He found a \$100 bill on the street, paid his fine and that of a friend. They had money over to celebrate.

Buff Rebuff

CROOKSVILLE, OHIO — It's going to be expensive to chase a fire from now on. Crooksville Mayor Harold Anderson has appointed two members of the fire department as special police to arrest persons following closer than 500 feet behind fire trucks.

Short On Change But Quick On Wit

MEMPHIS, TENN. — The telephone Romeo who got Donald Clark's number by mistake was distressed because he had no more dimes for the pay station he was using, but that didn't interfere with his quick thinking. He asked Clark to call the girl and tell her to phone him at the pay station. Clark did.

LI'L PEANUT

BY LOU PAIGE



THOSE WERE THE DAYS

BY ART BEEMAN



DEEMS

BY TOM OKAY



GOING WEST

BY FRANK THOMAS



RURAL DELIVERY

BY PAUL WINDLE



THE BEISEKER TIMES

T. W. PUE, Editor and Publisher

MRS. L. M. BROSTEAU, Local Editor

REPORTERS: John Leisner, Steve Lund; Mrs. Gladys D. Longson, Kathryn.

Published in the interests of Beiseker and District every week at 10815 Whyte Ave., Edmonton, Alberta. Phone 34863.

Subscriptions \$2.00 per year.

(Authorized as second class mail, Post Office Dept., Ottawa)

Classified rates are 2c per word per insertion. Minimum charge 50c per week. Five letters or figures count as one word. Engagement announcements are 75c; Cards of Thanks, 75c; In Memoriam, \$1.00; Floral Tribute Acknowledgements 5c for each donor listed.

AUTOMOBILES AND TRUCKS

TRY KALLAL MOTORS

Edmonton's Leading Used Car Dealers
"Bonded for Your Protection"
11424 Jasper Ave. (Main Office)
Phone 82496

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO GET A
GOOD USED CAR, TRUCK OR TRAC-
TOR AT AN ATTRACTIVE PRICE.

CARS
1951 Meteor 5-passenger Coupe, \$175
1952 Buick Demonstrator
very low mileage, \$3100
1953 7-passenger Chevrolet, \$325
1953 Dodge Sedan, \$325
1940 Mercury Sedan, \$350
1936 Pontiac Sedan, \$299

TRUCKS
1951 GMC 4-ton truck, \$1495
1938 1 1/2-ton Dodge, reg. and
crankshaft and all new
bearings, \$395
1947 2-ton Ford, with new motor, \$595

EVANSBURG SALES AND SERVICE
Your J.I. Case and General Motors Dealers
M. Yandt, Prop. Phone 8 Evansburg
XJ 24-31-F7-15

FARM MACHINERY

FARM MACHINERY FOR SALE

NEW YEAR'S SPECIALS

ALBERT FORTIER & SON
Start the New Year RIGHT with a
right piece of used farm equipment
from the following list:

1947 W9 IHC tractor, \$1195
1947 W30 IHC tractor on steel, \$550
1947 Senior 102 Massey-Harris
tractor, \$1295
1946 Cockshutt "50", \$1019

EXTRA SPECIAL
1947 Fargo two ton truck, new
motor, new tires, \$999

ALBERT FORTIER
Your IHC dealer Vimy, Alberta

FOR SALE—Sixty Cat with cab,
winch. A frame, pillar, cutter.
Tracks, sprockets good, \$3,500. 48"
heavy duty Seaman tiller, nearly
new, \$2,000. Joe Moreau, Meacock,
Alta. PF-7-14-21-28-M-7-11

FOR SALE—3 bottom 14" John Deere
plow, \$175; 2 bottom 18" John Deere
plow, \$140; 2 bottom Oliver, \$200; 1950
IHC horse mower, \$125; IHC horse
binder, \$125. Ready for immediate sale
and delivery if you call Fred's Farm
Implement, Mayerthorpe.
XJ 24-31-F7-14

USED and RECONDITIONED
TRACTORS

1948 Massey-Harris 44, gas,
reconditioned.

1951 M-Moline Model R, like new.

1941 203 Massey-Harris, good
value.

1941 Allis-Chalmers "M" Cat,
used for farm work only.

1940 Model 25, real good condition.

1938 FTA M-Moline, dandy second
large tractor.

1935 Model 25, repainted, a good
cheap tractor.

1937 Model 25, rubber like new.

USED TILLERS

1951 12-ft. John Deere Surlflex,
used only on 200 acres \$750

8 1/2-ft. Cockshutt, \$550

8 1/2-ft. Cockshutt, \$500

8 1/2-ft. Model 22, on rubber, \$300

8-ft. Model 22, on steel, \$250

8 1/2-ft. Model 22, on steel,
with seeder, \$200

USED CULTIVATORS

10-ft. M-Harris 3 row, \$150

12-ft. Cockshutt 3 row,
high wheel, \$50

14-ft. Duplex M-Harris 3 row, \$375

15-ft. M-Moline Tool Bar, \$350

12-ft. Cockshutt 3 row, \$200

13-ft. Oliver 2 row, \$100

WINDCHARGERS

550 watt Delco, old style, \$175

550 watt Delco, new style, \$225

1500 watt windcharger, 4 blade
prop, 4 years old, \$250

SPECIAL CYCLONE TRACTOR

Propane. Carburetor change over
kit. Drop in, be glad to give
you a real price on this unit.

E. O. PARRY & CO.

Massey-Harris - Garage - Welding

Chevrolet - Pontiac - Oldsmobile

Buick

Chev. and GMC Trucks

Phone 22

FARM MACHINERY

USED CARS AND TRUCKS

1 1949 1-ton 4-wheel drive Jeep
truck, \$1000
1 1946 1/2-ton Fargo Truck, \$800
1 1940 Ford Coach, \$600
1 1936 Chevrolet Coupe, \$525
1 1930 Chevrolet Sedan, \$150

USED TRACTORS AND MACHINERY

1 1951 Massey-Harris 30 Tractor,
like new, \$1500
1 1949 John Deere D, \$1400
1 2-16 Massey-Harris Plow, 1 year
old, \$199
1 3-16 Case Plow, \$160
1 8-ft. Horse Binder, on rubber,
new demonstrator, \$590
1 8-ft. and 16-ft. Tandem Discs,
all prices.

1 22x38 McCormick Thresher, \$1400
1 2-14 McCormick Plow, \$250
We will take trades on above prices.
We will give you a very good deal
for cash. SPECIAL PRICES!

BERT HUGHES, Cherhill, Alberta,
XJ 24-31-F7

WANT TO TRADE a 4-bottom

14-inch John Deere Plow in good
shape with 2 sets of sharpened
shares for 2 1/2 M of shiplap. Box
70, Lamont, Alta. PJ-31-F7

FOR SALE MISC.

FOR SALE—All kinds of tamarac
posts and telephone poles. Apply
M. Bey, Box 101, Ph. R507, Maur-
ville, Alta. CF-7

FOR SALE—Men's Raccoon Topcoat,
heavy winter cloth coat, size 40, tu-
edo suit, size 36, mouton cap. Ph. 41834;
10851-93 St. CJ-23-F4

FOR SALE—Registered Ajax auto,
Reg. No. 1357. Price \$5 cents. Apply
to Albert Mitchell, 1510, Alberta
PJ-23-F4 11-15-25 M-4-11-18-25
A-1-8-15-22-29 M-6

"ROYAL CARPET"

New Sweet Scented Violet Alyssum
for edging. Pocket 25c; write for
Vegetable and Flower Catalogue.

Steele Briggs Seeds Limited

EDMONTON, Alberta.

CL 31 F 7-14-21

FOR SALE

2 Ranco "500" Duplicators two years
old and in good condition.
One adding machine.

Write:
WESTERN CANADA INSTITUTE
LIMITED, 1502-11th Street West,
Calgary, Alta. Phone 45344
CJ 24-31-17

FOR SALE—Potatoes, carrots, tur-
nips, pump. 2517 or write Mrs. A. Mor-
au, R.R. No. 8, Fort Saskatchewan, Alta.
PJ-21-25-F4-11

FOR SALE—1951 Massey-Harris one
way disc, \$295; 16" Massey-Harris one
way on rubber, \$550; 3 furrow John
Deere plow, 14" A1 shape, high lift, 21"
oil drill and cultivator, \$75; Graham
Horse 5' plow; Faucett kitchen range
used slightly but looks like new, has
hot water tank connected, \$100. See us
about other used stoves and new pro-
pane gas stoves, heaters and fire places.
Contact Herman Walters, Onaway, Alta.
XJ 24-31-F7-14

WANTED MISC.

WANTED—A frame bulldozer
for HDIW Allis. Particulars first
letter. Ron McKinlay, Athabasca,
Alta. PF-7-14-21

HELP WANTED

MEN! CASH IN YOUR SPARE TIME!
I'll get your personal suits free, too!
It's easier and easy to earn up to
\$18.00 daily taking orders in your spare
time for our High Quality Guaranteed
men's made-to-measure clothes. You
don't need experience, we show you how
with our Deluxe sales-getting kit of
superb clothes that sell themselves.
Show them to your fellow workers,
friends, relatives, neighbors, for spare
time profits. Send no money, just
write something about yourself. Hud-
son Clothing, Dept. AP, Box 2634, Place
d'Armes, Montreal. CJ-31-F7-14-21

MANAGER for General Store, Apply
Box 206, Lac la Biche. —CJ31-F7

CARETAKER for small hospital in
northern Alberta, 3 1/2 hours from Ed-
monton. House, light, fuel supplied.
Ideal for older couple. Must speak and
understand English. CJ 24-11

HELP WANTED—For a good paying
proposition contact the Fuller Brush
Co. Ltd., 1014 Jasper Ave. or phone
24677 for appointment. Must have car
and light truck. —CJ 24-11

HELP WANTED

RAWLEIGH PRODUCTS
Industrious man wanted at once
to retail Rawleigh Products in
Rochford Bridge locality. Write
Rawleigh's Dept. B962, Winnipeg,
Man. CF-7-14-21-28

INTELLIGENT Ukrainian man want-
ed to take over direct sales route. Re-
ceive sound training. Earn good wages
while you learn. Well established firm.
Write Box 130, Edmonton Sun. CJ-10-17

RAWLEIGH PRODUCTS—Industri-
ous man wanted at once to retail Raw-
leigh Products in Rochford Bridge local-
ity. Write Rawleigh's Dept. A952, Win-
nipeg, Man. CJ-10-17-24-31-F7

TENDERS will be accepted until
February 15, for the purchase of
the Tawatnaw Community Hall,
size 28'x40', sheeted inside. Pur-
chaser must move building from
its present site. Tenders submitted
by mail to Mrs. Henry Hansen, Sec-
retary-Treasurer, Tawatnaw, P.F.7

WANTED—Girl for general of-
fice work Vilna Creamery will re-
quire a girl for general office
work about Feb. 9. Permanent po-
sition. Apply Vilna Creamery.
X F-7

MAKE MONEY and win friends,
selling our exclusive blouses, ny-
lons, lingerie. Satisfaction guaran-
teed. No investment. Good com-
mission. Stenber Distributing Co.,
30 McRoberts Ave., Toronto. CF-4

SITUATION WANTED

BOY, 18 years old, wants steady
job on farm. Has experience in all
farm work. Prefers dairy farm.
Non smoker, non drinker. Write
Box 168, Alia, Alta. CF-7

LIVESTOCK

FARMERS: Buy this wonderful or-
ganic mineral, Feed-Ant supplement, for
increased profits in your livestock and
poultry. Gets pigs up in a day or so.
Also stops cannibalism in chickens. See
dealer, Alberta Seed House, 10127-90 St.,
Edmonton. CD-20-11

FOR SALE—1 purebred Polled
Hereford bull, free of TB and
Bang's, four years old, very gentle.
Contact John Jardy, Thorhill, Alta.
CF-14-21

CHANGING TO POLLED SHORTHORNS
Still have for sale a number of horned
registered Shorthorn females, bred to
Killam Max Regent, sire of prize win-
ning steers at Toronto Royal. Also
spring bull calves from same sire, Dave
Ball, R.R.5, Edmonton. CJ-21-28, F4-11-18-25

FOR SALE—3-year old Shorthorn
Bull, "Rockyford Democrat,"
grandson of "Fairington Cashier"
imp. This bull sired the champion
calf at the 1952 Athabasca Stock
Show. Also two Shorthorn females
in calf to Democrat. G. Ivey and
Son Ellscoot, Alberta. PF 7-14

PERSONAL

MONEY BACK GUARANTEE
Don't risk operation for piles or
hemorrhoids. Try our home treatment. \$5
will do it. Beldon Products, 8740 30 Ave.
P-J-14-21-25-F4-11-18

Mary Had a Persian Lamb
and
WILKINS insured it!

W. L. WILKIN LTD.

PHONE 24107

CF-1

FOR SALE—Three choice resi-
dential lots in Vilna. Apply to P.
H. Walker, 10935 81 Ave., Edmon-
ton, Alta. PJ 31, F7-14-21

FOR SALE—New modern hotel for
sale, 12 or 15 interest of \$75,000
Atmore Hotel Ltd., Atmore, Alta.
PJ-31-F7-14-21-28-M-6

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—20 acres, river lot
45. Frame house 18x34. Garage
12x18. Two granaries, 5 1/2 acres
cultivation, three in alfalfa. On
the highway six miles from town.
Will sell or trade. Apply, N. M.
Thomas, Lac la Biche Mission, Al-
berta. PF 7-14-21

WANTED
POOL HALL

I have several sincere buyers
who are looking for a Pool
Hall. Send full particulars to
John Hannley. Phone 41404 or
night 42827.

ALBA
REAL ESTATE LTD.

201 Christie Grant Bldg., Edmonton
CJ 31 F7-14-21

REAL ESTATE

160 ACRES, 10 cultivated, 30 acres
summerfallow. The rest easy to
clear. Fair buildings. See Joe
Kosch, 7 miles north of Onaway.
CJ 31, F7-14-21

Do you want a farm or business in
one of the finest farming districts in
Alberta.

We have a fine selection of farms,
garages, restaurants, etc., for im-
mediate or fall possession in the district
of Onaway, Sangudo, Mayerthorpe, Blue
Ridge. This is wonderful clover, alfalfa,
mixed or stock farming country. We
will be glad to show you over these
farms, but please be sure to make an
appointment before seeing us. Phone
Mayerthorpe 41, or write

GOULD & SON
Offices at Sangudo and Mayerthorpe.
CS-19-17

Again Ask For Bids
On Biology Building

EDMONTON (BUP)—The Uni-
versity of Alberta Saturday called
for tenders for construction of a
\$900,000 biological sciences build-
ing on the campus.

It is the second time tenders
for the project have been called,
and the new deadline is Jan. 30.

University officials say bids ten-
dered for the Oct. 25 deadline
"forced us to change the plans
and specifications."

The new building will house the
departments of animal science,
soils, entomology and plant science.

PUBLIC CO-OPERATION NEEDED
FOR EFFECTIVE CIVIL DEFENCE

By D. A. PETRIE, Deputy Controller

EDMONTON—Recently an exercise, simulating the
results from the explosion of a normal atomic bomb, was
carried out. Carefully, the number of casualties, dead, and
homeless were calculated, and the tremendous problem of
restoration laid before a large number of persons interested
in Civil Defence.

The enormity of the problem
brought out clearly the great
numbers of CD workers required
to carry out this task. It was also
clearly demonstrated that a vast
number of highly trained person-
nel would be required. More
people in fact than there are at
present in the city.

To understand this apparent
paradox let us look at the map of
the city. The city is seven miles
long from north to south, and six
miles from east to west, an area
of approximately 40 square miles.
The river cuts the city into two
unequal parts. The northern por-
tion being the larger.

The northern portion of the city
is divided, for the purpose of Civil
Defence, into three sub-divisions.
Sub-division A runs from the
City's west boundary to 121st
Street; Sub-division B from 121st
Street to 97th Street, and Sub-
division C from 97th Street to
the east boundary of the City.

South of the river there are two
Sub-divisions, Sub-division D from
the west boundary to 104th Street
and Sub-division E from 104th
Street to the East boundary.

These Sub-divisions have been
selected along geographical lines
and were made to facilitate con-
trol of the situation. Thus, if
Sub-division B were damaged,
help could come from Sub-division
A or C. The Sub-divisions D and
E on the south side of the river
could likewise support each other.

A point was chosen as the
bomb-fall for this hypothetical
atom bomb. The devastated area 1
mile in diameter from this loca-
tion would include many of our
technical services and thus pro-
vide the greatest number of prob-
lems. The power plant, com-
munication—road, rail, telephone,
telegram, teletype, would all be
seriously affected. Large build-
ings housing important living
needs would be destroyed—food,
clothing, gas, oil, machinery,
trucks, cars, building supplies,
practically everything supplying
the wholesale needs, lies in this
area. The natural gas supply
would be seriously effected.
Roads would be piled with debris.
People would be killed, trapped in
fallen buildings and wounded.

Outside of this devastated area
would be a ring of burning build-
ings 1/4 mile deep and approxi-
mately 5 miles in circumference,
containing trapped, wounded and
dead. Beyond this area of de-
struction would be shattered
homes suffering varying degrees
of damage, but without glass in
any of the windows, and with
doors and roofs strained and dam-
aged by the blast. The inhabi-
tants, however, would be mostly
uninjured but suffering from mild
shock. It would be from this area
that help for the helpless would

be drawn. Let us stop the picture
and survey the situation.

There would be thousands of
people killed and about twice as
many injured; more than half of
the injured would require hospital
treatment, and the homeless
would run to fantastic numbers.
All utilities, food supplies, and
medical supplies would be cut off.
If we had no pre-planning and no
Civil Defence organization we
could not find out what had hap-
pened, nor be advised what to do,
and we would have no organiza-
tion to do it.

But you cannot say "Let there
be a Civil Defence," and have it.
I do not say this irreverently.
There can be no Civil Defence
Organization without YOU. You
are a part of the Civil Defence
machine and the operation of that
machine depends on your knowl-
edge, training and co-operation.
You cannot ask someone else to
give you security. Your neigh-
bor depends on you and you will
have to depend on your neighbor.
Are you satisfied with his knowl-
edge and training? Are you satis-
fied with your own? Will you, like
Robert Burns' mouse, survey your
"Wee bit house now in ruin" and
run away "with nothing new to
build a new one"? Run away?
Where? Of course this is the
proper procedure for a mouse, but
thinking human beings will have
to devise something better.

Now we have the nucleus of a
Civil Defence organization. We
have done a lot of pre-planning.
All the heads of our city services
have discussed such a situation as
I have outlined, but by this time
you must realize that such a disas-
ter is not only far beyond the
powers of the civic services which
struggle to maintain our growing
city in these expanding times; this
restoration will require help from
outside the city—fire brigades
from Red Deer, Fort Saskatche-
wan, all the towns around, and
most of all help from YOU. But
we won't have time to tell you
what to do when the bomb has
dropped, but we can tell you now.
Do you want to listen? Sure you
do. Well, get in touch with your
Civil Defence Training Headquar-
ters, phone 43575, and if you can't
get us on the phone, come and see
us. We're here waiting and work-
ing too. Don't think we don't
need you. We do. In fact, your
neighbor, your family, your Civil
Defence organization needs YOU.

A \$28 Shout

LONDON—James Battersby,
a newspaperman, was fined \$28
recently for shouting "Hell Hit-
ler!" during a two-minute period
of silence in honor of Britain's
war dead Nov. 9. Queen Elizabeth
II was present.

Pulp Mill Agreement Extended For Year

EDMONTON — The Alberta government has passed an order-in-council providing an extension of one year of an agreement in connection with a proposed pulp and paper mill in Beverly in Edmonton's eastern suburbs.

The agreement will be extended for a year provided Beverly Pulp and Paper Mills Ltd. makes a cash deposit of \$10,000 by March 31.

The original agreement, which dealt with timber-cutting rights, was made Jan. 16, 1952, when the first payment of a cash deposit of \$10,000 was required.

'Dud' Bomb Kills 4, Injures 3 at Sarcee

Three soldiers were killed and four injured when a bomb exploded accidentally at the army shooting range near Currie barracks Monday afternoon. All casualties were recruits of the 2nd battalion, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

All names were withheld until next-of-kin have been notified, in accordance with army procedure, but it was understood all seven soldiers were from eastern Canada.

DURING LUNCH

Army authorities said the explosion occurred during the lunch hour break when one of the dead soldiers was investigating what he thought was a dud.

The men had just finished their picnic meal on the range when the accident occurred.

An army spokesman said the recruits had already been severely warned not to touch ammunition or explosives which had been suspected as duds.

The bomb, known as a bazooka or rocket launcher bomb, exploded before the officer-in-charge or NCO's noticed the small group examining it.

The casualties, all young soldiers undergoing primary military training at Currie Barracks, had been among a party engaged in weapon training at the range. Located on the Sarcee Indian reserve, the range is several miles from the barracks.

The wounded were taken to the Belcher hospital in Calgary, where the condition of one was stated to be serious.

A court of inquiry under Capt. C. Pine has already been ordered to investigate the accident.

Pilot Says Sabre Jet Cluttered By Devices

OTTAWA (BUP) — The nation's top jet fighter pilot said here the planes he had to fly to become the only Canadian to win the Distinguished Flying Cross in peacetime were weighted down by too many safety devices.

Ft.-Lt. Ernest A. Glover, 30, of Leaside, Ont., said that the speedy F-86 Sabre jets, fastest fighter planes in the world, were equipped with heavy safety installations that were not used enough to justify their weight.

"We can cut some out and lighten the plane," he said, emphasizing that it was "my personal opinion."

Recovery

Along the road of yesterday, He longed to walk once more, But memories were elusive dreams And years had closed the door. So though he tried, he never could Re-live the days of childhood.

A little boy took him by hand, And said, "Dad come and play," And down the road of yesterday, At last he found the way.

BERYL RASMUSSEN,
Crossfield, Alberta.

FRENCH ART ON DISPLAY



Display of modern decorative arts includes these unique ceramic designs, the work of well known French artists



A CATCH-ALL collection of French art and luxury products from novelty cigarette box-ash tray combinations and costume jewelry to fine tapestries and stained glass window panes was displayed recently in Montreal. The exhibition included the work of many of the best modern French decorative artists and craftsmen. Called the Exposition Francaise Moderne, it was sponsored by the Salon de l'Imagerie de Paris, a group of artists under the patronage of the Ministry of Fine Arts and supported by the Ministry of Economic Affairs. Among approximately 3,500 objects set out was a wide variety of ceramics, hand-worked silver and gold, fine cabinet work, hand-screened textiles, hand-polished crystal, hand-wrought garden furniture, Moroccan copper, tapestries in modern designs, scenes in stained glass and a number of oil paintings and water colors.

APPROVE NEW SCHEDULE FOR CALGARY BULL SALE JUDGING

CALGARY—Severe culling that will make the 1953 Calgary Spring Bull Sale the most selective in history and a change in the schedule of judging at the event that opens March 16 were approved recently at a meeting of directors of the Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association.

Out of an entry of 1,553 bulls listed when entries closed recently, only about 1,200 will be admitted to the sale ring.

New judging and sale schedule calls for Aberdeen Angus and Shorthorn judging to commence March 16 at 8 a.m. with the sale of Shorthorns beginning at 1 p.m. the same day. Aberdeen Angus will

go into the auction ring at 9 a.m. Tuesday, March 17, and at 8:30 that evening. Herefords will be judged. Hereford sale opens at 9 a.m. March 18 and the annual banquet, originally scheduled for Tuesday evening of show week will be held Wednesday instead.

BABY BEEF FIRST

Baby beef and fat stock will be judged prior to the bull sale on March 13 at 1 p.m. and will be sold the same day at 7 p.m.

Two leading United States cattle men have already accepted appointment as judges. Bob Lazar of the W.H.R. Hereford Ranch, Wyoming will place the ribbons in the Hereford division while J. C. Price, Jr., of Conrad, Montana, will make the awards in the Shorthorn classes.

Auctioneers will be J. W. Durbin and Harry Hays of Calgary, C. F. Damron of Bentley, Archie Boyce of Olds, Allan Baker of Cayley and J. R. Blacklock of Saskatoon.

Because it is believed likely that the United States embargo on Canadian cattle because of last year's foot-and-mouth disease outbreak will be lifted March 1, a large number of U.S. buyers are expected at the show and sale.

For the first time since 1951, circulars announcing the sale have been sent to major U.S. cattle associations and arrangements have already been started for the clearance of bulls to the U.S.

In a move to assist the Canadian

Average Wage At New Peak

OTTAWA — Average weekly salaries and wages reached a new peak at the beginning of November, the bureau of statistics reports.

The Canadian average was \$55.63 against \$55.12 at the beginning of October and \$52.05 at Nov. 1, 1951. Meanwhile, there were "seasonal" losses in employment in manufacturing, transportation, construction and other industries, bringing the bureau's employment index down to 191.9 compared with 192.6 for October and 186.4 for November, 1951.

The index is based on 1939 employment levels equaling 100.

Beef Council, the meeting decided to purchase two memberships in the group which is dedicated to the betterment of the Canadian cattle industry. R. V. McCullough of Red Deer and W. D. McDonald of Granger were named delegates of the council.

Scriptural Meditations

By Ainsley Blair

"Christ, when contending with Satan about the body of Moses, durst not bring against him a railing accusation," Jude 9. Had He done this, He would have placed Himself on Satan's ground; for accusation is the weapon of the evil one. He is called in Scripture, 'the accuser of our brethren,' Revelation 12: 10. Jesus would employ none of Satan's weapons. He met him, with the words, 'The Lord rebuke thee,' Jude 9.

"His example is for us. When we are brought into conflict with the enemies of Christ, we should say nothing in a spirit of retaliation, or that would bear even the appearance of a railing accusation. He who stands as a mouthpiece for God should not utter words which even the Majesty of Heaven would not use when contending with Satan. We are to leave with God the work of judging and condemning."

—"Thoughts from the Mount of Blessing."

ASSOCIATED DENTAL LABORATORY

112A 8th Avenue East
(Upstairs)
One door West of Smithbilt
CALGARY

Meet Your Friends AT THE

BEISEKER HOTEL

"Bert" Day, Mgr.
"A Friendly Place to Stay"



10 FREE CHICKS
WITH EVERY 100 ORDERED

when you give us 4 weeks notice of delivery date. This applies to ALL chick orders. QUALITY Chicks and Poults at competitive prices. FAST TO MATURE... FAST TO PRODUCE.

Write for free catalog.

Edmonton Calgary
South Edmonton
Camrose Lethbridge

CO-OP HATCHERIES
Your Farmer-Owned Co-operative
ALBERTA POULTRY MARKETERS LTD.



Have your goodies and your delicious cakes, etc., stored to restore and retain their freshness.

Frosted Food Centre

W. J. LAVOIE, Prop.

BEISEKER

Ph. R1520

Alberta